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substituted polylysine were ineffective. Transfection with a plasmid encoding human factor IX produced expression in Hep G2 (high) and HuH7 cells that express SECR but not Hep G2 (low) cells that lack the receptor. Fluorescein-labeled C1315 peptide labeled 9-31% of Hep G2 (high), 10-14% of HuH7, and 0.6-3.4% of Hep G2 (low) cells, and when the lac Z gene was transfected, only these cells expressed beta-galactosidase. SECR-mediated gene transfer gives efficient, specific uptake and high-level expression of three reporter genes, and the system merits further study for gene therapy.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999:154174 BIOSIS DOCUMENT NUMBER: PREV199900154174

TITLE: Development of animal models for adeno-associated virus

site-specific integration.

AUTHOR(S): Rizzuto, Gabriella; Gorgoni, Barbara; Cappelletti, Manuela;

Lazzaro, Domenico; Gloaguen, Isabelle; Poli, Valeria; Sgura, Antonella; Cimini, Daniela; Ciliberto, Gennaro; Cortese, Riccardo; Fattori, Elena; La Monica, Nicola (1)

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SOURCE:

Journal of Virology, (March, 1999) Vol. 73, No. 3, pp. 2517-2526.

ISSN: 0022-538X.

DOCUMENT TYPE: Article LANGUAGE: English

The adeno-associated virus (AAV) is unique in its ability to target viral DNA integration to a defined region of human chromosome 19 (AAVS1). Since AAVS1 sequences are not conserved in a rodent's genome, no animal model is currently available to study AAV-mediated site-specific integration. We describe here the generation of transgenic rats and mice that carry the AAVS1 3.5-kb DNA fragment. To test the response of the transgenic animals to Rep-mediated targeting, primary cultures of mouse fibroblasts, rat hepatocytes, and fibroblasts were infected with wild-type wt AAV. PCR amplification of the inverted terminal repeat (ITR)-AAVS1 junction revealed that the AAV genome integrated into the AAVS1 site in fibroblasts and hepatocytes. Integration in rat fibroblasts was also observed upon transfection of a plasmid containing the rep gene under the control of the p5 and p19 promoters and a dicistronic cassette carrying the green fluorescent protein (GFP) and neomycin (neo) resistance gene between the ITRs of AAV. The localization of the GFP-Neo sequence in the AAVS1 region was determined by Southern blot and FISH analysis. Lastly, AAV genomic DNA integration into the AAVS1 site in vivo was assessed by virus injection into the quadriceps muscle of transgenic rats and mice. Rep-mediated targeting to the AAVS1 site was detected in several injected animals. These results indicate that the transgenic lines are proficient for Rep-mediated targeting. These animals should allow further characterization of the molecular aspects of site-specific integration and testing of the efficacy of targeted integration of AAV recombinant vectors designed for human gene therapy.

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TITLE: Gene transfer into hepatoma cell lines via the serpin

enzyme complex receptor.

Ziady, Assem-Galal; Perales, Jose C.; Ferkol, Thomas; AUTHOR(S):

Gerken, Thomas; Beegen, Helga; Perlmutter, David H.; Davis,

Pamela B. (1)

CORPORATE SOURCE: (1) Dep. Pediatrics, Case Western Reserve Univ., 11100

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SOURCE: American Journal of Physiology, (1997) Vol. 273, No. 2 PART

> 1, pp. G545-G552. ISSN: 0002-9513.

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The serpin enzyme complex receptor (SECR) expressed on hepatocytes binds to a conserved sequence in alpha-1-antitrypsin (alpha-1-AT) and other serpins. A molecular conjugate consisting of a synthetic peptide (C1315) based on the SECR binding motif of human (alpha-1-AT covalently coupled to poly-L-lysine was used to introduce reporter genes into hepatoma cell lines in culture. This conjugate condensed DNA into spheroidal particles 18-25 nm in diameter. When transfected with the SECR-directed complex containing pGL3, Hep G2 cells that express the receptor, but not Hep G2 cells that do not, expressed a peak luciferase activity of 538,731 +- 144,346 integrated light units/mg protein 4 days after transfection. Free peptide inhibited uptake and expression in a dose-dependent manner. Complexes of DNA condensed with polylysine or LC-sulfo-N-succinimidyl-3-(2-pyridyldithio)propionate-

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 22409734 PubMed ID: 12522443

TITLE: Principles of tumor immunosurveillance and implications for

immunotherapy.

AUTHOR: Ochsenbein Adrian F

CORPORATE SOURCE: [1] Department of Clinical Research, University of Berne,

Berne, Switzerland [2] Institute of Medical Oncology,

Inselspital, Berne, Switzerland.

SOURCE: CANCER GENE THERAPY, (2002 Dec) 9 (12) 1043-55.

Journal code: 9432230. ISSN: 0929-1903.

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Although antigen loss variants, major histocompatibility (MHC) class I down-regulation, or the expression of inhibitory molecules may explain the failure of immunosurveillance against some tumors, this seems not to apply for many other solid peripheral or lymphohematopoietic tumors. Why then is immunosurveillance so ineffective and can it be improved? This review focuses on one important aspect of tumor immunity, namely the relevance of antigen dose and localization. Immune responses in vivo are induced in organized lymphoid tissues, i.e., in lymph nodes and spleen. The antigen dose that reaches secondary lymphoid organs over time is a crucial parameter that drives antiviral and antitumoral immune responses. Tumors use various strategies to prevent efficient presentation of their antigens in lymphoid organs. A major obstacle to the induction of an endogenous tumor-specific cytotoxic T lymphocyte (CTL) response is the inefficient presentation of tumor antigen on MHC class I molecules of professional antigen-presenting cells. Peripheral solid tumors that develop outside lymphoid organs are, therefore, often ignored by the immune system. In other situations, tumors - especially of lymphohematopoietic origin - may tolerize specific CTLs. Understanding tumor immunosurveillance is key to the design of efficient antitumor vaccines. Attempts to improve immunity to tumors include vaccination strategies to (a) provide the tumor antigen to secondary lymphoid organs using recombinant viruses or dendritic cells as carriers, (b) express costimulatory signals on tumor cells, or (c) improve the efficiency of cross-priming. Cancer Gene Therapy (2002) 9, 1043-1055 doi:10.1038/sj.cgt.7700540

L5 ANSWER 2 OF 22 MEDLINE

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002725601 IN-PROCESS DOCUMENT NUMBER: 22376025 PubMed ID: 12489023

TITLE: Prospects for CD40-directed experimental therapy of human

cancer.

AUTHOR: Tong Alex W; Stone Marvin J

CORPORATE SOURCE: Cancer Immunology Research Laboratory, Baylor Sammons

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Texas 75246, USA.

SOURCE: CANCER GENE THERAPY, (2003 Jan) 10 (1) 1-13.

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CD40, a member of the tumor necrosis factor receptor (TNF-R) family, is a surface receptor best known for its capacity to initiate multifaceted activation signals in normal B cells and dendritic cells (DCs). CD40-related treatment approaches have been considered for the experimental therapy of human leukemias, lymphomas, and multiple myeloma, based on findings that CD40 binding by its natural ligand (CD40L), CD154, led to growth modulation of malignant B cells. Recent studies also exploited the selective expression of the CD40 receptor on human epithelial and mesenchymal tumors but not on most normal, nonproliferating epithelial tissues. Ligation of CD40 on human breast, ovarian, cervical, bladder, non small cell lung, and squamous epithelial carcinoma cells was found to produce a direct growth-inhibitory effect through cell cycle blockage and/or apoptotic induction with no overt side effects on their normal counterparts. CD154 treatment also heightened tumor rejection immune responses through DC activation, and by increasing tumor immunogenicity through up-regulation of costimulatory molecule expression and cytokine production of epithelial cancer cells. These immunopotentiating features can produce a "bystander effect" through which the CD40-negative tumor subset is eliminated by activated tumor-reactive cytotoxic T cells. However, the potential risk of systemic inflammation and autoimmune consequences remains a concern for

systemic CD154-based experimental therapy. The promise of CD154 as a tumor therapeutic agent to directly modulate tumor cell growth, and indirectly activate antitumor immune response, may depend on selective and/or restricted CD154 expression within the tumor microenvironment. This may be achieved by inoculating cancer vaccines of autologous cancer cells that have been transduced ex vivo with CD154, as documented by recently clinical trials. This review summarizes recent findings on CD154 recombinant protein- and gene therapy-based tumor treatment approaches, and examines our understanding of the multifaceted molecular mechanisms of CD154-CD40 interactions.

L5 ANSWER 3 OF 22 MEDLINE

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002433493 IN-PROCESS DOCUMENT NUMBER: 22177701 PubMed ID: 12189722

TITLE: Improvement of nonviral gene therapy by Epstein-Barr virus

(EBV) -based plasmid vectors.

AUTHOR: Mazda O

CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Microbiology, Kyoto Prefectural University of

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SOURCE: Curr Gene Ther, (2002 Sep) 2 (3) 379-92.

Journal code: 101125446. ISSN: 1566-5232.

PUB. COUNTRY: Netherlands

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The nonviral gene transfer technologies include naked DNA administration, electrical or particle-mediated transfer of naked DNA, and administration of DNA-synthetic macromolecule complex vectors. Each method has its advantage, such as low immunogenicity, inexpensiveness, ease in handling, etc., but the common disadvantage is that the transfection efficiency has been relatively poor as far as conventional plasmid vectors are involved. To improve the nonviral gene transfer systems, Epstein-Barr virus (EBV)-based plasmid vectors (also referred to EBV-based episomal vectors) have been employed. These vectors contain the EBNA1 gene and oriP element that enable high transfer efficiency, strong transgene expression and long term maintenance of the expression. In the current article, I review recent preclinical gene therapy studies with the EBV plasmid vectors conducted against various diseases. For gene therapy against malignancies, drastic tumor suppression was achieved by gancyclovir administrations following an intratumoral injection with an EBV plasmid vector encoding the HSV1-TK suicide gene. Equiping the plasmid with carcinoembryonic antigen (CEA) promoter sequences enabled targeted killing of CEA-positive tumor cells, which was not accomplished by conventional plasmid vectors without the EBV genetic elements. Transfection with an apoptosis-inducing gene was also effective in inhibiting tumors. Interleukin (IL)-12 and IL-18 gene transfer, either local or systemic, induced therapeutic antitumoral immune responses including augmentation of the cytotoxic T lymphocyte ( CTL) and natural killer (NK) activities, while an autologous tumor vaccine engineered to secrete Th1 cytokines via the EBV system also induced growth retardation of tumors. Non-EBV conventional plasmids were much less effective in eliciting these therapeutic outcomes. Intracardiomuscular transfer of the beta-adrenergic receptor gene induced a significant elevation in cardiac output in cardiomyopathic animals, suggesting the usefulness of the EBV system in treating heart failure. The EBV-based nonviral delivery also worked as genetic vaccine that triggered prophylactic cellular and humoral immunity against acute lethal viral infection. All the nonviral delivery vehicles so far tested showed an improved transfection rate when combined with the EBV-plasmids. Collectively, the EBV-based plasmid vectors may greatly contribute to nonviral gene therapy against a variety of disorders, including malignant, congenital, chronic and infectious diseases.

5 ANSWER 4 OF 22 MEDLINE

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002363265 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 22104490 PubMed ID: 12109140

TITLE: Life or death of T cells with antigen-specific

receptors--using T cells for cancer adoptive

immunotherapy/gene therapy.

AUTHOR: Ren-Heidenreich L; Lum L G

CORPORATE SOURCE: Immunotherapy Program, Roger Williams Cancer Center,

Providence, RI, USA.. lifenren@cs.com

SOURCE: Curr Gene Ther, (2001 Sep) 1 (3) 253-5. Ref: 29

Journal code: 101125446. ISSN: 1566-5232.

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AB A promising strategy for cancer treatment is adoptive gene therapy/immunotherapy by genetically modifying T lymphocytes with a chimeric receptor (ch-TCR) so that cytotoxic T lymphocytes (CTL) can target and lyse tumors in a MHC-non-restricted manner. It is, however, not clear whether non-MHC-restricted tumor cell recognition by T cells will result in activation-induced apoptosis (AICD). This review discusses the factors that affect the development of AICD or CTL proliferation, and how such factors should be considered in the design of clinical trials using ch-TCR.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001672912 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 21575473 PubMed ID: 11718942

TITLE: Pharmacotherapy by intracellular delivery of drugs using

fusogenic liposomes: application to vaccine development.

AUTHOR: Kunisawa J; Nakagawa S; Mayumi T

CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Biopharmaceutics, Graduate School of

Pharmaceutical Sciences, Osaka University, 1-6 Yamadaoka,

Suita, Osaka 565-0871, Japan.

SOURCE: Adv Drug Deliv Rev, (2001 Nov 19) 52 (3) 177-86. Ref: 53

Journal code: 8710523. ISSN: 0169-409X.

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AB We prepared fusogenic liposomes by fusing conventional liposomes with an ultra-violet inactivated Sendai virus. Fusogenic liposomes can deliver encapsulated contents into the cytoplasm directly in a Sendai virus fusion-dependent manner. Based on the high delivery rates into the cytoplasm, we originally planned to apply the fusogenic liposomes to cancer chemotherapy and gene therapy. We have recently also examined the use of fusogenic liposomes as an antigen delivery vehicle. In terms of vaccine development, cytoplasmic delivery is crucial for the induction of the cytotoxic T lymphocyte (CTL) responses that play a pivotal role against infectious diseases and cancer. In this context, our recent studies suggested that fusogenic liposomes could deliver encapsulated antigens into the cytoplasm and induce MHC class I-restricted, antigen-specific CTL responses. In addition, fusogenic liposomes are also effective as a mucosal vaccine carrier. In this review, we present the feasibility of fusogenic liposomes as a versatile and effective antigen delivery system.

L5 ANSWER 6 OF 22 MEDLINE

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001270314 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 21260652 PubMed ID: 11368356

TITLE: Gene-based cancer vaccines: an ex vivo approach.

AUTHOR: Van Tendeloo V F; Van Broeckhoven C; Berneman Z N

CORPORATE SOURCE: Laboratory of Experimental Hematology, University Hospital,

University of Antwerp, Belgium.

SOURCE: LEUKEMIA, (2001 Apr) 15 (4) 545-58. Ref: 196

Journal code: 8704895. ISSN: 0887-6924.

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AB The application of gene transfer techniques to immunotherapy has animated the field of gene-based cancer vaccine research. Gene transfer strategies were developed to bring about active immunization against tumor-associated antigens (TAA) through gene transfer technology. A wide variety of viral and nonviral gene transfer methods have been investigated for immunotherapeutic purposes. Ex vivo strategies include gene delivery into tumor cells and into cellular components of the immune system, including cytotoxic T cells and dendritic cells (DC). The nature of the transferred genetic material as well as the gene transfer method has varied widely depending on the application. Several of these approaches have already been translated into clinical gene therapy trials. In this review, we will focus on the rationale and types of ex vivo gene-based immunotherapy of cancer. Critical areas for future development of gene-based cancer vaccines are addressed, with particular emphasis on use of DC and on the danger-tolerance hypothesis. Finally, the use of gene-modified DC for tumor vaccination and its prospects are discussed.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 94102560 MEDLINE

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TITLE: Somatic gene therapy for cancer: the utility of

transferrinfection in generating 'tumor vaccines'.

AUTHOR: Zatloukal K; Schmidt W; Cotten M; Wagner E; Stingl G;

Birnstiel M L

CORPORATE SOURCE: Research Institute of Molecular Pathology, I.M.P., Vienna,

Austria.

SOURCE: GENE, (1993 Dec 15) 135 (1-2) 199-207. Ref: 65

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AB The last few years have seen the development of a branch of somatic gene therapy which aims at strengthening the immune surveillance of the body, leading to eradication of disseminated cancer tumor cells and occult micrometastases after surgical removal of the primary tumor. Such a tumor vaccination protocol calls for cultivation of the primary tumor tissue and the insertion of one of three types of genes into the isolated cultured tumor cells followed by irradiation of the transfected or transduced cells to render them incapable of further proliferation. The cells so treated constitute the 'tumor vaccine'. A review of the literature suggests that for mouse models, in the initial period after inoculation, rejection of the tumor cells is usually effected by non-T-cell immunity, whereas the long-term systemic immune response is based on  ${\tt cytotoxic}$   ${\tt T-cells}$ . High expression of the gene inserted into the tumor cells may be critical for the success of the vaccination procedure. Examples are given which indicate that transferrinfection, a procedure to introduce genes by

adenovirus-augmented receptor-mediated endocytosis, meets some important prerequisites for successful application of this type of **gene** therapy.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001:290147 CAPLUS

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TITLE: Possibility of immunotherapy against HIV infection

AUTHOR(S): Matsushita, Shuzo

CORPORATE SOURCE: AIDS Res. Cent., Kumamoto Univ., Japan

SOURCE: Tanpakushitsu Kakusan Koso (2001), 46(5), 638-643

CODEN: TAKKAJ; ISSN: 0039-9450

PUBLISHER: Kyoritsu Shuppan

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; General Review

LANGUAGE: Japanese

AB A review with 11 refs., on current status and future prospects in the treatment of HIV infection, discussing therapeutic strategies aiming at activation of cellular immunity against HIV, including gene therapy inducing cytotoxic T

L5 ANSWER 9 OF 22 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996:351290 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 125:48019

TITLE: Gene therapy for HIV infection

AUTHOR(S): Bunnell, Bruce A.; Morgan, Richard A.

CORPORATE SOURCE: National Center Human Genome Research, National

Institutes Health, Bethesda, MD, 20892, USA

SOURCE: Drugs of Today (1996), 32(3), 209-224

CODEN: MDACAP; ISSN: 0025-7656

PUBLISHER: Prous

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; General Review

LANGUAGE: English

A review with 112 refs. The ultimate goal of gene therapy for HIV-1 is to inhibit viral replication and the resultant AIDS pathogenesis. Gene therapy for HIV-1 requires the introduction of genes that effectively inhibit viral replication by blocking expression of viral genes or altering the normal function of HIV-1 assocd. proteins. This review details the various anti-HIV-1 gene therapy strategies that have been developed to effectively inhibit HIV-1 replication. The review covers three broad categories: (i) gene therapy using nucleic acid moieties such as gene vaccines, antisense DNA/RNA, RNA decoys, and ribosomes; (ii) protein approaches such as trans-dominant neg. proteins and single chain antibodies; and (iii) immunotherapy using HIV-1 specific cytotoxic T cells. The discussion focuses on the effectiveness of the various techniques in preclin. expts. and in animal models. Also, the status of all of the current RAC/FDA approved clin. protocols fro anti-HIV-1 gene therapy strategies is reviewed.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996:15336 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 124:105329

TITLE: Development of in vivo gene therapy targeting

hepatitis viral gene

AUTHOR(S): Yamada, Shuhei; Tanaka, Eiji

CORPORATE SOURCE: Fac. Med., Shinshu Univ., Matsumoto, 390, Japan

SOURCE: Igaku no Ayumi (1995), 175(9), 708-13

CODEN: IGAYAY; ISSN: 0039-2359

PUBLISHER: Ishiyaku

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; General Review

LANGUAGE: Japanese

AB A review, with 8 13 refs., on the technol. in gene

therapy to exclusion of hepatitis virus by the methods of

antisense, ribozyme, anti-viral proteins as RNA decoy, and induction of

cytotoxic T cells (CTL) by

expression of a part of the proteins of hepatitis virus. The current status of the study of gene therapy of hepatitis is discussed with the targets of hepatitis B virus (HBV) and gene cutter of hepatitis C virus (HCV).

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996:15334 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 124:105327

TITLE: Gene therapy of brain tumor with DNA/liposome

AUTHOR(S): Ohta, Seiji; Yoshida, Jun

CORPORATE SOURCE: Sch. Med., Nagoya Univ., Nagoya, 466, Japan

SOURCE: Igaku no Ayumi (1995), 175(9), 701-4

CODEN: IGAYAY; ISSN: 0039-2359

PUBLISHER: Ishiyaku

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; General Review

LANGUAGE: Japanese

AB A review, with 10 refs., on the poor prognosis of the current

therapy of malignant glioma, and gene therapy of

malignant glioma using cytokine gene harboring cytotoxic

T cells (CTL), antisense gene, suicide gene, and cytokine gene therapy to glioma cells.

Immunoliposome and plasmid are described for transfection of genes of interferon .gamma. or tumor necrosis factor .alpha. (TNF.alpha.) to glioma cells, and the exptl. results are discussed. The therapy leads to mol. neurosurgery.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003081197 EMBASE

TITLE: Prospects for CD40-directed experimental therapy of human

cancer.

AUTHOR: Tong A.W.; Stone M.J.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Dr. A.W. Tong, Cancer Immunol. Research Laboratory, Baylor

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SOURCE: Cancer Gene Therapy, (1 Jan 2003) 10/1 (1-13).

Refs: 155

ISSN: 0929-1903 CODEN: CGTHEG

COUNTRY: United States
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article
FILE SEGMENT: 016 Cancer

022 Human Genetics

029 Clinical Biochemistry

LANGUAGE: English SUMMARY LANGUAGE: English

CD40, a member of the tumor necrosis factor receptor (TNF-R) family, is a surface receptor best known for its capacity to initiate multifaceted activation signals in normal B cells and dendritic cells (DCs). CD40-related treatment approaches have been considered for the experimental therapy of human leukemias, lymphomas, and multiple myeloma, based on findings that CD40 binding by its natural ligand (CD40L), CD154, led to growth modulation of malignant B cells. Recent studies also exploited the selective expression of the CD40 receptor on human epithelial and mesenchymal tumors but not on most normal, nonproliferating epithelial tissues. Ligation of CD40 on human breast, ovarian, cervical, bladder, non small cell lung, and squamous epithelial carcinoma cells was found to produce a direct growth-inhibitory effect through cell cycle blockage and/or apoptotic induction with no overt side effects on their normal counterparts. CD154 treatment also heightened tumor rejection immune responses through DC activation, and by increasing tumor immunogenicity through up-regulation of costimulatory molecule expression and cytokine production of epithelial cancer cells. These immunopotentiating features can produce a "bystander effect" through which the CD40-negative tumor subset is eliminated by activated tumor-reactive  ${f cytotoxic}$   ${f T}$   ${f cells}$ . However, the potential risk of systemic inflammation and autoimmune consequences remains a concern for systemic CD154-based experimental therapy. The promise of CD154 as a tumor

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treatment approaches, and examines our understanding of the multifaceted

molecular mechanisms of CD154-CD40 interactions.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001417879 EMBASE

TITLE: Pharmacotherapy by intracellular delivery of drugs using

fusogenic liposomes: Application to vaccine development.

AUTHOR: Kunisawa J.; Nakagawa S.; Mayumi T.

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Advanced Drug Delivery Reviews, (19 Nov 2001) 52/3

(177-186). Refs: 53

ISSN: 0169-409X CODEN: ADDREP

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COUNTRY:

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037 Drug Literature Index

039 Pharmacy

LANGUAGE: English
SUMMARY LANGUAGE: English

We prepared fusogenic liposomes by fusing conventional liposomes with an ultra-violet inactivated Sendai virus. Fusogenic liposomes can deliver encapsulated contents into the cytoplasm directly in a Sendai virus fusion-dependent manner. Based on the high delivery rates into the cytoplasm, we originally planned to apply the fusogenic liposomes to cancer chemotherapy and gene therapy. We have recently also examined the use of fusogenic liposomes as an antigen delivery vehicle. In terms of vaccine development, cytoplasmic delivery is crucial for the induction of the cytotoxic T lymphocyte (CTL) responses that play a pivotal role against infectious diseases and cancer. In this context, our recent studies suggested that fusogenic liposomes could deliver encapsulated antigens into the cytoplasm and induce MHC class I-restricted, antigen-specific CTL responses. In addition, fusogenic liposomes are also effective as a mucosal vaccine carrier. In this review, we present the feasibility of fusogenic liposomes as a versatile and effective antigen delivery system. .COPYRGT. 2001 Elsevier Science B.V. All rights reserved.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001179587 EMBASE
TITLE: Chronic rejection.
AUTHOR: Libby P.; Pober J.S.

CORPORATE SOURCE: P. Libby, Division of Cardiovascular Medicine, Brigham and

Women's Hospital, Boston, MA 02115, United States.

plibby@rics.bwh.harvard.edu Immunity, (2001) 14/4 (387-397).

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ISSN: 1074-7613 CODEN: IUNIEH

COUNTRY: United States

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; General Review

FILE SEGMENT: 009 Surgery

026 Immunology, Serology and Transplantation

029 Clinical Biochemistry

LANGUAGE: English SUMMARY LANGUAGE: English

AB In this review, we have suggested that chronic vascular rejection, defined as alloimmune-mediated graft vascular stenosis, is the primary cause of late cardiac and hepatic graft failure. It may also commonly contribute to late renal and pulmonary allograft loss. In contrast, parenchymal changes in these failing grafts likely reflect ischemia rather than chronic parenchymal cell rejection. Vascular stenosis results from a combination of intimal hyperplasia and constrictive remodeling. In chronic vascular rejection, as in other chronic vascular diseases (e.g., atherosclerosis), constrictive remodeling caused by adventitial cicatrix formation may be the more important contributor to lumen loss. Functional vascular dysregulation due to endothelial injury may exacerbate the degree of stenosis by promoting vasoconstriction. The

precise immunological mechanisms that cause chronic vascular rejection are

unknown. Chronic DTH, mediated by host CD4(+) T cells activated by graft alloantigens that are presented directly by graft endothelial and dendritic cells or indirectly by host dendritic cells, is a likely candidate. Evidence that IFN-.gamma., the prototypic cytokine of DTH, is necessary and sufficient to cause vascular remodeling in experimental transplantation supports this concept. (Animal models have limitations in recreating the human disease, although they do provide insights into possible mechanisms.) Alternatively, low-level, smoldering acute vascular rejection mediated by CD8(+) CTL or alloantibodies could contribute to graft vascular disease. Nonimmunological factors, such as ischemia/reperfusion, hypertension, hyperlipidemia, and infection, all of which contribute to atherosclerotic vascular disease, all increase the incidence of chronic vascular rejection. These factors may act by enhancing the total burden of injury in the blood vessels or by activating the innate immune system, which favors the development of DTH. Human studies have not as yet resolved these issues. We currently lack effective preventive or therapeutic strategies for chronic vascular rejection. Current immunosuppressive regimens, which effectively prevent or abrogate acute rejection episodes, may target the wrong mechanisms; newer agents, such as rapamycin, may be more effective. Control of hypertension and restoration of normal lipid profiles, e.g., with HMG-CoA reductase inhibitors, may also be of benefit. In the future, as the pathogenesis is better understood, somatic gene therapy may provide a new avenue for therapy.

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ACCESSION NUMBER:

2001130994 EMBASE

TITLE: Gene

Gene-based cancer vaccines: An ex vivo approach.

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Hospital, Wilrijkstraat 10, B-2650 Edegem, Belgium

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Leukemia, (2001) 15/4 (545-558).

Refs: 196

ISSN: 0887-6924 CODEN: LEUKED

COUNTRY:

United Kingdom

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Journal; General Review 016 Cancer

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022 Human Genetics

026 Immunology, Serology and Transplantation

037 Drug Literature Index

039 Pharmacy

LANGUAGE: English SUMMARY LANGUAGE: English

The application of gene transfer techniques to immunotherapy has animated the field of gene-based cancer vaccine research. Gene transfer strategies were developed to bring about active immunization against tumor-associated antigens (TAA) through gene transfer technology. A wide variety of viral and nonviral gene transfer methods have been investigated for immunotherapeutic purposes. Ex vivo strategies include gene delivery into tumor cells and into cellular components of the immune system, including cytotoxic T cells and dendritic cells (DC). The nature of the transferred genetic material as well as the gene transfer method has varied widely depending on the application. Several of these approaches have already been translated into clinical gene therapy trials. In this review, we will focus on the rationale and types of ex vivo gene-based immunotherapy of cancer. Critical areas for future development at gene-based cancer vaccines are addressed, with particular emphasis on use of DC and on the danger tolerance hypothesis. Finally, the use of gene-modified DC for tumor vaccination and its prospects are discussed.

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ACCESSION NUMBER:

2000011980 EMBASE

TITLE:

Cell therapy: Achievements and perspectives.

AUTHOR:

Bordignon C.; Carlo-Stella C.; Colombo M.P.; De Vincentiis

A.; Lanata L.; Lemoli R.M.; Locatelli F.; Olivieri A.;

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Refs: 361

ISSN: 0390-6078 CODEN: HAEMAX

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DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article
FILE SEGMENT: 025 Hematology

026 Immunology, Serology and Transplantation

LANGUAGE: English SUMMARY LANGUAGE: English

Background and Objectives. Cell therapy can be considered as a strategy aimed at replacing, repairing, or enhancing the biological function of a damaged tissue or system by means of autologous or allogeneic cells. There have been major advances in this field in the last few years. This has prompted the Working Group on Hematopoietic Cells to examine the current utilization of this therapy in clinical hematology. Evidence and Information Sources. The method employed for preparing this review was that of informal consensus development. Members of the Working Group met three times, and the participants at these meetings examined a list of problems previously prepared by the chairman. They discussed the single points in order to reach an agreement on different opinions and eventually approved the final manuscript. Some of the authors of the present review have been working in the field of cell therapy and have contributed original papers in peer- reviewed journals. In addition, the material examined in the present review includes articles and abstracts published in journals covered by the Science Citation Index and Medline. State of the Art. Lymphokine-activated killer (LAK) and tumor-infiltrating lymphocytes (TIL) have been used since the '70s mainly in end-stage patients with solid tumors, but the clinical benefits of these treatments has not been clearly documented. TIL are more specific and potent cytotoxic effectors than LAK, but only in few patients (mainly in those with solid tumors such as melanoma and glioblastoma) can their clinical use be considered potentially useful. Adoptive immunotherapy with donor lymphocyte infusions has proved to be effective, particularly in patients with chronic myeloid leukemia, in restoring a state of hematologic remission after leukemia relapse occurring following an allograft. The infusion of donor T-cells can also have a role in the treatment of patients with Epstein- Barr virus (EBV)-induced post-transplant lymphoproliferative disorders. However, in this regard, generation and infusion of donor-derived, virus specific T-cell lines or clones represents a more sophisticated and safer approach for treatment of viral complications occurring in immunocompromized patients. Whereas too few clinical trials have been performed so far to draw any firm conclusion, based on animal studies dendritic cell-based immunotherapy holds promises of exerting an effective anti-tumor activity. Despite leukemic cells not being immunogenic, induction on their surface of co-stimulatory molecules or generation of leukemic dendritic cells may induce antileukemic cytotoxic T-cell responses. Tumor cells express a variety of antigens and can be genetically manipulated to become immunogenic. The main in vitro and in vivo functional characteristics of marrow mesenchymal stem cells (MSCs) with particular emphasis on their hematopoietic regulatory role are reviewed. In addition, prerequisites for clinical applications using culture-expanded mesenchymal cells are discussed perspectives. The opportuneness of using LAK cells or activated natural killer (NK) cells in hematologic patients with low tumor burden (e.g. after stem cell transplantation) should be further explored. Moreover the role of new cytokines in enhancing the antineoplastic activity of NK cells and the infusion of selected NK in alternative to CTL for graft versus leukemia (GVL) disease (avoiding graft versus host disease (GvHD) seems very promising. Separation of GVL from GvHD through generation and infusion of leukemia- specific T-cell clones or lines is one of the most intriguing and promising fields of investigations for the future, likewise, strategies devised to improve immune-reconstitution and restore specific anti-infectious functions through either induction of unresponsiveness to recipient alloantiques or removal of alloreactive donor T-cells might increase the applicability and success of hematopoietic stem cell transplantation. Cellular immunotherapy with DC must be standardized and several critical points, discussed in the chapter, have to be properly addressed with specific clinical studies. Stimulation of leukemic cells via CD40 receptor and transduction of tumor

cells with co-stimulatory molecules and/or cytokines may be useful to prevent a tumor escaping immune surveillance. Tumor cells can be genetically modified to interact directly with dendritic cells in vivo or recombinant antigen can be delivered to dendritic cells using attenuated bacterial vectors for oral vaccination. MSCs represent an attractive therapeutic tool capable of playing a role in a wide range of clinical applications in the context of both cell and gene therapy strategies.

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Gene therapy for HIV infection. TITLE:

Bunnell B.A.; Morgan R.A. AUTHOR:

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Research, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, MD 20892,

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SOURCE: Drugs of Today, (1996) 32/3 (209-224).

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COUNTRY: Spain

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; General Review Microbiology FILE SEGMENT: 004

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029 Clinical Biochemistry 037 Drug Literature Index

LANGUAGE: English SUMMARY LANGUAGE: English

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Gene therapy for HIV-1 requires the introduction of

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This review details the various anti-HIV-1 gene

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 94032629 EMBASE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 1994032629

TITLE: Somatic gene therapy for cancer: The utility of

transferrinfection in generating 'tumor vaccines'.

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Gene, (1993) 135/1-2 (199-207). ISSN: 0378-1119 CODEN: GENED6

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> 022 Human Genetics

037 Drug Literature Index

English LANGUAGE: SUMMARY LANGUAGE: English

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surveillance of the body, leading to eradication of disseminated cancer tumor cells and occult micrometastases after surgical removal of the primary tumor. Such a tumor vaccination protocol calls for cultivation of the primary tumor tissue and the insertion of one of three types of genes into the isolated cultured tumor cells followed by irradiation of the transfected or transduced cells to render them incapable of further

proliferation. The cells so treated constitute the 'tumor vaccine'. A review of the literature suggests that for mouse models, in the initial period after inoculation, rejection of the tumor cells is usually effected by non-T-cell immunity, whereas the long-term systemic immune response is based on cytotoxic T-cells. High expression of the gene inserted into the tumor cells may be critical for the success of the vaccination procedure. Examples are given which indicate that transferrinfection, a procedure to introduce genes by adenovirus-augmented receptor-mediated endocytosis, meets some important prerequisites for successful application of this type of gene

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:138397 BIOSIS DOCUMENT NUMBER: PREV200300138397

TITLE: Prospects for CD40-directed experimental therapy of human

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SOURCE: Cancer Gene Therapy, (January 2003, 2003) Vol. 10, No. 1,

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DOCUMENT TYPE:

LANGUAGE: English

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DOCUMENT TYPE:

Gene-based cancer vaccines: An ex vivo approach. TITLE:

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000:121603 BIOSIS DOCUMENT NUMBER: PREV200000121603

TITLE: Cell therapy: Achievements and perspectives.

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AUTHOR(S): Bordignon, Claudio; Carlo-Stella, Carmelo; Colombo, Mario

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1994:130537 BIOSIS DOCUMENT NUMBER: PREV199497143537

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transferrinfection in generating 'tumor vaccines.
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Ernest; Stingl, Georg; Birnstiel, Max L. (1) AUTHOR(S):

CORPORATE SOURCE: (1) Research Inst. Molecular Pathol., Dr. Bohr-Gasse 7,

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     serpin antithrombin, seem to act specifically on the proliferating
     endothelial cells in the newly formed blood vessels. The discovery of
     these specific endothelial inhibitors not only increases our understanding
     of the functions of these mols. in the regulation of physiol. and pathol.
     angiogenesis, but also provides an important therapeutic strategy for
     cancer treatment. Several studies have demonstrated that antiangiogenic
     protein therapy with these inhibitors significantly suppresses the growth
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of a variety of tumors in mice. However, the dosages of these endogenous inhibitors used in animal studies seem to be too high for clin. trials.

Other disadvantages of antiangiogenic protein therapy include repeated injections, prolonged treatment, potential transmission of toxins and infectious particles, and high cost for manufg. large amts. of protein mols. Thus, alternative approaches need to be developed in order to improve the antiangiogenic therapy with endogenous inhibitors. Perhaps gene therapy aimed to express these potent angiogenesis inhibitors in vivo is the most promising alternative approach that could transfer antiangiogenic therapy from animal expts. into the clinic. Although the development of this field is still in its early stages, several studies in animals have already provided evidence that this is a promising approach in the treatment of cancer. In this review article, I will discuss the therapeutic potentials of antiangiogenic mols. expressed from gene therapy vectors.

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TITLE: Endogenous angiogenesis inhibitors and their

therapeutic implications

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SOURCE: International Journal of Biochemistry & Cell Biology

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CODEN: IJBBFU; ISSN: 1357-2725

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A review with 88 refs. A no. of endogenous inhibitors targeting the tumor vasculature have recently been identified using in vitro and in vivo antiangiogenesis models. While many of these angiogenesis inhibitors display a broad spectrum of biol. actions on several systems in the body, several inhibitors including angiostatin, endostatin, and serpin antithrombin seem to act specifically on the proliferating endothelial cell compartment of the newly formed blood vessels. The discovery of these specific endothelial inhibitors not only increases our understanding of the functions of these mols. in the regulation of physiol. and pathol. angiogenesis, but may also provide an important therapeutic strategy for the treatment of cancer and other angiogenesis dependent diseases, including diabetic retinopathy and chronic inflammations. Systemic administration of these angiogenesis inhibitors in animals significantly suppresses the growth of a variety of tumors and their metastases. However, their prodn. as functional recombinant proteins has been proven to be difficult. In addn., high dosages of these inhibitors are required to suppress tumor growth in animal studies. Other disadvantages of the antiangiogenic protein therapy include repeated injections, prolonged treatment, transmission of toxins and infectious particles, and high cost for manufg. large amts. of protein mols. Thus, alternative strategies need to be developed in order to improve the clin. settings of antiangiogenic therapy. Developments of these strategies are ongoing and they include identification of more potent inhibitors, antiangiogenic gene therapy, improvement of protein/compd. half-lives in the circulation, increase of their concns. at the disease location, and combinatorial therapies with approaches including chemotherapy, radiotherapy, and immunotherapy. Despite the above-mentioned disadvantages, a few inhibitors have entered into the early stages of clin. trials and they may bring new hopes for the treatment of cancer and other angiogenesis dependent diseases.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002245761 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 21980630 PubMed ID: 11972060

TITLE: RNA interference by expression of short-interfering RNAs

and hairpin RNAs in mammalian cells.

AUTHOR: Yu Jenn-Yah; DeRuiter Stacy L; Turner David L

CORPORATE SOURCE: Mental Health Research Institute, Program in Neuroscience,

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CONTRACT NUMBER: NS38698 (NINDS)

SOURCE: PROCEEDINGS OF THE NATIONAL ACADEMY OF SCIENCES OF THE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, (2002 Apr 30) 99 (9) 6047-52.

Journal code: 7505876. ISSN: 0027-8424.

PUB. COUNTRY: United States

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Entered Medline: 20020611 AB Duplexes of 21-nt RNAs, known as short-ir

AB Duplexes of 21-nt RNAs, known as short-interfering RNAs (siRNAs), efficiently inhibit gene expression by RNA interference (RNAi) when introduced into mammalian cells. We show that siRNAs can be synthesized by in vitro transcription with T7 RNA polymerase, providing an economical alternative to chemical synthesis of siRNAs. By using this method, we show that short hairpin siRNAs can function like siRNA duplexes to inhibit gene expression in a sequence-specific manner. Further, we find that hairpin siRNAs or siRNAs expressed from an RNA polymerase III vector based on the mouse U6 RNA promoter can effectively inhibit gene expression in mammalian cells. U6-driven hairpin siRNAs dramatically reduced the expression of a neuron-specific beta-tubulin protein during the neuronal differentiation of mouse P19 cells, demonstrating that this approach should be useful for studies of differentiation and neurogenesis. We also observe that mismatches within hairpin siRNAs can increase the strand selectivity of a hairpin siRNA, which may reduce self-targeting of vectors expressing siRNAs. Use of hairpin siRNA expression vectors for RNAi should provide a rapid and versatile method for assessing gene function in mammalian cells, and may have applications in gene therapy.

L14 ANSWER 2 OF 49 MEDLINE

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002211468 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 21945809 PubMed ID: 11945068

TITLE: Functional evidence of CFTR gene transfer in nasal

epithelium of cystic fibrosis mice in vivo following luminal application of DNA complexes targeted to the

serpin-enzyme complex receptor.

AUTHOR: Ziady Assem-Galal; Kelley Thomas J; Milliken Erin; Ferkol

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AB Molecular conjugates that target the serpin-enzyme complex receptor transfer the cDNA encoding human cystic fibrosis transmembrane conductance regulator (CFTR) to the nasal epithelium of cystic fibrosis mutant mice. These complexes effect partial correction of the chloride transport defect as assessed by in vivo nasal potential difference measurements, produce immunohistochemical staining for CFTR, and restore expression of nitric oxide synthase-2 (NOS-2), which is downregulated in the epithelium of mice and humans with cystic fibrosis. Complexes that lack the receptor ligands were ineffective, so receptor access was essential. Mice treated with receptor-targeted lacZ showed beta-galactosidase expression in epithelial cells and submucosal glands, but no electrophysiologic correction or NOS-2 expression, so simply accessing the serpin-enzyme complex receptor was not sufficient to produce the observed electrophysiologic or immunohistochemical changes. Correction of the cAMP-stimulated chloride transport was dose related at days 7 and 12 after complex administration, but, for most animals, nasal potential difference had returned to baseline by day 18. Molecular conjugates targeting the serpin-enzyme complex receptor, used to compact plasmid DNA, hold promise for gene therapy of cystic fibrosis.

L14 ANSWER 3 OF 49 MEDLINE

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001464622 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 21400689 PubMed ID: 11509889

TITLE:

Characterization of permanent cell lines that contain the AAV2 rep-cap genes on an Epstein-Barr-virus-based episomal

plasmid.

AUTHOR: Neyns B; Vermeij J; Teugels E; De Rijcke M; Hermonat P; De

Greve J

CORPORATE SOURCE: Laboratory of Medical Oncology, Oncologisch Centrum,

Akademisch Ziekenhuis, Vrije Universiteit Brussel,

Laarbeeklaan 101, B-1090 Brussels, Belgium.

INTERVIROLOGY, (2001) 44 (4) 255-63. SOURCE:

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LANGUAGE: English

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AΒ Recombinant adeno-associated virus (rAAV) has emerged as a promising gene therapy vector. Its development, however, has been hampered by the lack of a readily available efficient production method. We investigated the possibility of establishing permanent cell lines for the production of rAAV with a new Epstein-Barr-virus (EBV)-based episomal AAV rep-cap plasmid (pCEP-rep/cap). HeLa and 293 cells were stably transfected with plasmids that carry the AAV2 rep/cap genes under transcriptional control of their endogenous promoters (p5, p19 and p40) either on the pCEP-rep/cap or an integrated (pIM45) plasmid. For the ease of monitoring transgene expression in live cells, a rAAV vector expressing gfp (the green fluorescent protein gene, rAAV-gfp/neo) was used. Establishment of stable transfected cell lines with these plasmids proved feasible but their usefulness was limited because of their instability. Within 8-12 weeks after their establishment, stably transfected rep-cap cell lines invariably lost their function. In addition, the rAAV-gfp/neo vector we used was susceptible to mutation in stably transfected HeLa cells. Our observations demonstrate specific problems both at the level of rep/cap gene function and the rAAV genome that can occur with the establishment of rAAV production cell lines. These experiments should aid the further development of efficient rAAV production protocols.

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TITLE: Endogenous angiogenesis inhibitors and their therapeutic

implications.

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(2001 Apr) 33 (4) 357-69. Ref: 88 Journal code: 9508482. ISSN: 1357-2725.

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A number of endogenous inhibitors targeting the tumor vasculature have AB recently been identified using in vitro and in vivo antiangiogenesis models. While many of these angiogenesis inhibitors display a broad spectrum of biological actions on several systems in the body, several inhibitors including angiostatin, endostatin, and serpin antithrombin seem to act specifically on the proliferating endothelial cell compartment of the newly formed blood vessels. The discovery of these specific endothelial inhibitors not only increases our understanding of the functions of these molecules in the regulation of physiological and pathological angiogenesis, but may also provide an important therapeutic strategy for the treatment of cancer and other angiogenesis dependent diseases, including diabetic retinopathy and chronic inflammations. Systemic administration of these angiogenesis inhibitors in animals significantly suppresses the growth of a variety of tumors and their metastases. However, their production as functional recombinant proteins has been proven to be difficult. In addition, high dosages of these inhibitors are required to suppress tumor growth in animal studies. Other disadvantages of the antiangiogenic protein therapy include repeated injections, prolonged treatment, transmission of toxins and infectious particles, and high cost for manufacturing large amounts of protein molecules. Thus, alternative strategies need to be developed in order to improve the clinical settings of antiangiogenic therapy. Developments of these strategies are ongoing and they include identification of more potent inhibitors, antiangiogenic gene therapy,

improvement of protein/compound half-lives in the circulation, increase of their concentrations at the disease location, and combinatorial therapies with approaches including chemotherapy, radiotherapy, and immunotherapy. Despite the above-mentioned disadvantages, a few inhibitors have entered into the early stages of clinical trials and they may bring new hopes for the treatment of cancer and other angiogenesis dependent diseases.

L14 ANSWER 5 OF 49 MEDLINE

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000459418 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 20411438 PubMed ID: 10954565

TITLE: Mutational analysis of the adeno-associated virus type 2

(AAV2) capsid gene and construction of AAV2 vectors with

altered tropism.

AUTHOR: Wu P; Xiao W; Conlon T; Hughes J; Agbandje-McKenna M;

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SOURCE: JOURNAL OF VIROLOGY, (2000 Sep) 74 (18) 8635-47.

Journal code: 0113724. ISSN: 0022-538X.

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AB Adeno-associated virus type 2 (AAV2) has proven to be a valuable vector for gene therapy. Characterization of the functional domains of the AAV capsid proteins can facilitate our understanding of viral tissue tropism, immunoreactivity, viral entry, and DNA packaging, all of which are important issues for generating improved vectors. To obtain a comprehensive genetic map of the AAV capsid gene, we have constructed 93 mutants at 59 different positions in the AAV capsid gene by site-directed mutagenesis. Several types of mutants were studied, including epitope tag or ligand insertion mutants, alanine scanning mutants, and epitope substitution mutants. Analysis of these mutants revealed eight separate phenotypes. Infectious titers of the mutants revealed four classes. Class 1 mutants were viable, class 2 mutants were partially defective, class 3 mutants were temperature sensitive, and class 4 mutants were noninfectious. Further analysis revealed some of the defects in the class 2, 3, and 4 mutants. Among the class 4 mutants, a subset completely abolished capsid formation. These mutants were located predominantly, but not exclusively, in what are likely to be beta-barrel structures in the capsid protein VP3. Two of these mutants were insertions at the N and C termini of VP3, suggesting that both ends of VP3 play a role that is important for capsid assembly or stability. Several class 2 and 3 mutants produced capsids that were unstable during purification of viral particles. One mutant, R432A, made only empty capsids, presumably due to a defect in packaging viral DNA. Additionally, five mutants were defective in heparan binding, a step that is believed to be essential for viral entry. These were distributed into two amino acid clusters in what is likely to be a cell surface loop in the capsid protein VP3. The first cluster spanned amino acids 509 to 522; the second was between amino acids 561 and 591. In addition to the heparan binding clusters, hemagglutinin epitope tag insertions identified several other regions that were on the surface of the capsid. These included insertions at amino acids 1, 34, 138, 266, 447, 591, and 664. Positions 1 and 138 were the N termini of VP1 and VP2, respectively; position 34 was exclusively in VP1; the remaining surface positions were located in putative loop regions of VP3. The remaining mutants, most of them partially defective, were presumably defective in steps of viral entry that were not tested in the preliminary screening, including intracellular trafficking, viral uncoating, or coreceptor binding. Finally, in vitro experiments showed that insertion of the serpin receptor ligand in the N-terminal regions of VP1 or VP2 can change the tropism of AAV. Our results provide information on AAV capsid functional domains and are useful for future design of AAV vectors for targeting of specific tissues.

L14 ANSWER 6 OF 49 MEDLINE

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000110566 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 20110566 PubMed ID: 10646646

TITLE: Improved production of adenovirus vectors expressing

apoptotic transgenes.

AUTHOR: Bruder J T; Appiah A; Kirkman W M 3rd; Chen P; Tian J;

Reddy D; Brough D E; Lizonova A; Kovesdi I

CORPORATE SOURCE: GenVec, Inc., Gaithersburg, MD 20878, USA..

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Adenovirus vectors expressing gene products that can induce apoptosis have AR potential utility in gene therapy applications ranging from the treatment of proliferative diseases to transplantation. However, adenovirus vectors carrying proapoptotic gene products are difficult to produce, as the apoptotic environment is not conducive to adenovirus gene expression and replication. Production of AdFasL/G, an adenovirus vector that expresses high levels of Fas ligand, was severely reduced in the 293 packaging cell line. Increased yields of AdFasL/G were achieved by inclusion of peptide-based caspase inhibitors in the growth medium. However, use of these inhibitors for large-scale production would be difficult and expensive. A screen for gene products that increase the yield of AdFasL/G in 293 cells revealed that the poxvirus serpin CrmA and the adenovirus 14.7K product were able to increase virus yields significantly. Apoptosis induced by AdFasL/G was attenuated in 293CrmA cell lines and virus titers were increased dramatically. However, serial passage of AdFasL/G on 293CrmA cells resulted in the generation of replication-competent adenovirus. To resolve this problem, the CrmA gene was introduced into AE25 cells, an E1-complementing cell line that has limited sequence identity with the vectors. AdFasL/G titers were increased 100-fold on AE25CrmA cells relative to the AE25 cells and RCA contamination was not detectable. In addition, adenovirus vectors that express FADD, caspase 8, and Fas/APO1 were produced efficiently in AE25CrmA and 293CrmA.

L14 ANSWER 7 OF 49 MEDLINE

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999139037 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 99139037 PubMed ID: 9971837

TITLE: Development of animal models for adeno-associated virus

site-specific integration.

AUTHOR: Rizzuto G; Gorgoni B; Cappelletti M; Lazzaro D; Gloaguen I;

Poli V; Sgura A; Cimini D; Ciliberto G; Cortese R; Fattori

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The adeno-associated virus (AAV) is unique in its ability to target viral AB DNA integration to a defined region of human chromosome 19 (AAVS1). Since AAVS1 sequences are not conserved in a rodent's genome, no animal model is currently available to study AAV-mediated site-specific integration. We describe here the generation of transgenic rats and mice that carry the AAVS1 3.5-kb DNA fragment. To test the response of the transgenic animals to Rep-mediated targeting, primary cultures of mouse fibroblasts, rat hepatocytes, and fibroblasts were infected with wild-type wt AAV. PCR amplification of the inverted terminal repeat (ITR)-AAVS1 junction revealed that the AAV genome integrated into the AAVS1 site in fibroblasts and hepatocytes. Integration in rat fibroblasts was also observed upon transfection of a plasmid containing the rep gene under the control of the p5 and p19 promoters and a dicistronic cassette carrying the green fluorescent protein (GFP) and neomycin (neo) resistance gene between the ITRs of AAV. The localization of the GFP-Neo sequence in the AAVS1 region was determined by Southern blot and FISH analysis. Lastly, AAV genomic DNA integration into the AAVS1 site in vivo was assessed by virus injection into the quadriceps muscle of transgenic rats and mice. Rep-mediated targeting to the AAVS1 site was detected in several injected animals. These results indicate that the transgenic lines are proficient for Rep-mediated targeting. These animals should allow further characterization of the molecular aspects of site-specific integration and testing of the efficacy of targeted integration of AAV recombinant vectors designed for human gene therapy.

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 97423494 PubMed ID: 9277436

TITLE: Gene transfer into hepatoma cell lines via the serpin

enzyme complex receptor.

AUTHOR: Ziady A G; Perales J C; Ferkol T; Gerken T; Beegen H;

Perlmutter D H; Davis P B

CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Physiology and Biophysics, Case Western

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44106, USA.

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AR The serpin enzyme complex receptor (SECR) expressed on hepatocytes binds to a conserved sequence in alpha 1-antitrypain (alpha 1-AT) and other serpins. A molecular conjugate consisting of a synthetic peptide (C1315) based on the SECR binding motif of human alpha 1-AT covalently coupled to poly-L-lysine was used to introduce reporter genes into hepatoma cell lines in culture. This conjugate condensed DNA into spheroidal particles 18-25 nm in diameter. When transfected with the SECR-directed complex containing pGL3, Hep G2 cells that express the receptor, but not Hep G2 cells that do not, expressed a peak luciferase activity of 538,731 +/- 144,346 integrated light units/mg protein 4 days after transfection. Free peptide inhibited uptake and expression in a dose-dependent manner. Complexes of DNA condensed with polylysine or LC-sulfo-N-succinimidyl-3-(2-pyridyldithio) propionate-substituted polylysine were ineffective. Transfection with a plasmid encoding human factor IX produced expression in Hep G2 (high) and HuH7 cells that express SECR but not Hep G2 (low) cells that lack the receptor. Fluorescein-labeled C1315 peptide labeled 9-31% of Hep G2 (high), 10-14% of HuH7, and 0.6-3.4% of Hep G2 (low) cells, and when the lac Z gene was transfected, only these cells expressed beta-galactosidase. SECR-mediated gene transfer gives efficient, specific uptake and high-level expression

of three reporter genes, and the system merits further study for gene therapy.

L14 ANSWER 9 OF 49 MEDLINE

ACCESSION NUMBER: 97200266 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 97200266 PubMed ID: 9048201

TITLE: Adenovirus-mediated delivery of human kallistatin gene

reduces blood pressure of spontaneously hypertensive rats.

AUTHOR: Chen L M; Chao L; Chao J

CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, Medical

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CONTRACT NUMBER: HL 44083 (NHLBI)

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Human kallistatin, or human tissue kallikrein-binding protein (HKBP), is a serine proteinase inhibitor (serpin). Transgenic mice overexpressing rat kallikrein-binding protein are hypotensive. To

elucidate therapeutic potentials of kallistatin in hypertension, the human

kallistatin gene in an adenoviral vector was directly introduced into spontaneously hypertensive rats (SHR) through portal vein injection. The kallistatin cDNA construct (RSV-cHKBP) under the promoter control of Rous sarcoma virus 3' long terminal repeat (LTR) was incorporated into adenovirus (Ad.RSV-cHKBP). Recombinant kallistatin in 293 cells transfected with RSV-cHKBP or Ad.RSV-cHKBP was measured by ELISA and by its complex formation with tissue kallikrein. A single intraportal vein injection of Ad.RSV-cHKBP at a dose of 8 x 10(10) pfu results in a significant reduction of blood pressure of SHR for 4 weeks. Human kallistatin mRNA was detected in the liver, spleen, kidney, aorta, and lung of rats receiving gene delivery. Immunoreactive human kallistatin in rat serum was detected at the highest level 1 day post injection and at lesser amounts in rat tissues. This study shows that adenovirus harboring Ad.RSV-cHKBP produces functional kallistatin, and adenovirus-mediated transfer of the human kallistatin gene reduces blood pressures of SHR. The results suggest that kallistatin may function as a vasodilator in vivo and provide important information for a potential gene therapy approach to hypertension.

L14 ANSWER 10 OF 49 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:927561 CAPLUS DOCUMENT NUMBER: 138:20478 Generating replication defective circular TITLE: adeno-associated viral vectors that are helper free for gene therapy Kaplitt, Michael G.; Moussatov, Sergei INVENTOR(S): The Rockefeller University, USA PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): PCT Int. Appl., 69 pp.

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The present invention provides a method of producing defective viral vectors for gene therapy that are completely free of helper viral vectors and helper viruses. The invention further provides new circular AAV vectors which are particularly useful for use in gene therapy and prodn. stocks of packaged defective viral vectors. Sequences are provided that are capable of directing circular adeno-assocd. virus replication, useful in vectors for providing therapeutic agents to a subject for gene therapy. The vectors of the invention are particularly useful in treatment of acute medical conditions requiring rapid gene expression. Further provided are methods for producing packaged defective viral vectors.

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 137:145531

Serpin drugs for treatment of HIV infection and method TITLE:

of use thereof

Lynn, Ralf Geiben; Walker, Bruce D. INVENTOR(S): The General Hospital Corporation, USA PCT Int. Appl., 47 pp. PATENT ASSIGNEE(S):

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     The invention includes compns. comprising substantially purified serpin
     that are useful in methods for the treatment and prevention of HIV
     infection. The invention also includes methods for the treatment and
     prevention of HIV infection comprising contacting a compn. of the
     invention with a human patient or treating HIV infection by introducing into a cell susceptible to HIV infection a DNA mol. encoding a serpin.
     Addnl., the invention includes antibodies and kits useful in the
     detection, treatment, and prevention of HIV infection.
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ACCESSION NUMBER:

2002:461284 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER:

137:42639

TITLE:

ARF-p19 protein, a novel regulator of the mammalian

cell cycle and its use as a tumor suppressor

INVENTOR(S):

Sherr, Charles J.; Quelle, Dawn; Roussel, Martine F.;

Zindy, Frederique; Weber, Jason D.

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S):

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, USA

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U.S., 105 pp., Cont.-in-part of U.S. Ser. No. 129,855.

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The INK4A (MTS1, CDKN2) gene encodes a specific inhibitor (InK4a-p16) of the cyclin D-dependent kinases CDK4 and CDK6. InK4a-p16 can block these kinase from phosphorylating the retinoblastoma protein (pRb), preventing exit from the G1 phase of the cell cycle. Deletions and mutations involving the gene encoding InK4a-p16, INK4A, occur frequently in cancer cells, implying that INK4a-p16, like pRb, suppresses tumor formulation. However, a completely unrelated protein (ARF-p19) arises in major part from an alternative reading frame of the mouse INK4A gene. Expression of an ARF-p19 cDNA in rodent fibroblasts induces both G1 and G2 phase arrest. Economical reutilization of protein coding sequences in this manner is without precedent in mammalian genomes, and the unitary inheritance of INK4a-p16 and ARF-p19 may reflect a dual requirement for both proteins in cell cycle control.

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 136:382192 TITLE: Polynucleotide encoding a novel human serpin LSI-01 secreted from lymphoid cells Chen, Jian; Feder, John N.; Nelson, Thomas; Seiler, Steven; Bassolino, Donna A.; Cheney, Daniel L.; INVENTOR(S): Duclos, Frank Bristol-Myers Squibb Company, USA PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 478 pp. CODEN: PIXXD2 DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent LANGUAGE: English FAMILY ACC. NUM. COUNT: 1 PATENT INFORMATION:

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The present invention provides novel polynucleotides encoding LSI-01 AB (Lymphocyte Specific proteinase Inhibitor-01) polypeptides, fragments and homologs thereof. To search for novel protease inhibitors, a Hidden-Markov Model of serine protease inhibitors was used to search against human genomic sequence database using the computer program GENEWISEDB; genomic sequences that received a matching score of more than 15 against SERPIN HMM model were selected for further anal. The human sequence encodes a serine proteinase inhibitor (serpin) with substantial homol. to the class of serpins having a protease specificity for arginine/lysine residues. In addn., expression anal. indicates that LSI-091 has strong preferential expression in lymph nodes, and to a lesser extent, in thymus, small intestine, and spleen. The Serpin LSI-01 cDNA was mapped to chromosome region 14q32. Based on its expression profile and genetic map, Serpin LSI-01 could be a novel specific biomarker that could pinpoint a subgroup of patients with chronic lymphocytic leukemias (with a distinct prognostic). Also provided are vectors, host cells, antibodies, and recombinant and synthetic methods for producing said polypeptides. The invention further relates to diagnostic and therapeutic methods for applying these novel LSI-01 polypeptides to the diagnosis, treatment, and/or prevention of various diseases and/or disorders related to these polypeptides. The invention further relates to screening methods for identifying agonists and antagonists of the polynucleotides and polypeptides of the present invention.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:275061 CAPLUS
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 137:179820
TITLE: Functional evidence of epithelium of cystic fil

Functional evidence of CFTR gene transfer in nasal epithelium of cystic fibrosis mice in vivo following luminal application of DNA complexes targeted to the

serpin-enzyme complex receptor

AUTHOR(S): Ziady, Assem-Galal; Kelley, Thomas J.; Milliken, Erin;

Ferkol, Thomas; Davis, Pamela B.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Departments of Pediatrics at Rainbow Babies and Childrens Hospital, Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine, Cleveland, OH, 44106, USA

SOURCE: Molecular Therapy (2002), 5(4), 413-419

CODEN: MTOHCK; ISSN: 1525-0016

PUBLISHER: Elsevier Science

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal LANGUAGE: English

Mol. conjugates that target the serpin-enzyme complex receptor transfer

the cDNA encoding human cystic fibrosis transmembrane conductance regulator (CFTR) to the masal epithelium of cystic fibrosis mutant mice. These complexes effect partial correction of the chloride transport defect as assessed by in vivo masal p.d. measurements, produce immunohistochem. staining for CFTR, and restore expression of nitric oxide synthase-2 (NOS-2), which is downregulated in the epithelium of mice and humans with cystic fibrosis. Complexes that lack the receptor ligands were ineffective, so receptor access was essential. Mice treated with receptor-targeted lacZ showed .beta.-galactosidase expression, in epithelial cells and submucosal glands, but no electrophysiol. correction or NOS-2 expression, so simply accessing the serpin-enzyme complex receptor was not sufficient to produce the obsd. electrophysiol. or immunohistochem. changes. Correction of the cAMP-stimulated chloride transport was dose related at days 7 and 12 after complex administration, but, for most animals, nasal p.d. had returned to baseline by day 18. Mol. conjugates targeting the serpin-enzyme complex receptor,

used to compact plasmid DNA, hold promise for gene

therapy of cystic fibrosis.

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 137:88832

TITLE: Receptor-directed molecular conjugates for gene

transfer

AUTHOR(S): Ziady, Assem G.; Davis, Pamela B.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Pediatrics at Rainbow Babies and

Children's Hospital, School of Medicine, Case Western

Reserve University, Cleveland, OH, USA

SOURCE: Methods in Molecular Medicine (2002), 69 (Gene Therapy

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DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; General Review

LANGUAGE: English

This review provides methods for using receptor-mediated mol. conjugate for gene transfer are described. DNA, noncovalently bound to a polycation polymer that is conjugated to a ligand can be bound to the cell surface and internalized. Receptor-directed mol. conjugates have use as gene therapy agents. The use of such receptors, which have provided specificity of a noninfectious and nontoxic vector, are discussed. The method include generation of receptor-targeted mol. conjugates, mol. conjugate anal., receptor-targeted DNA complex prodn., and anal. of receptor-targeted DNA complexes.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001:598149 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 135:177276

TITLE: Protein C derivatives with increased anti-coagulation activity and resistance to inactivation by serpins and

their pharmacological use

INVENTOR(S): Gerlitz, Bruce Edward; Grinnell, Brian William; Jones,

Bryan Edward

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Eli Lilly and Company, USA

SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 59 pp.

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                           Protein C derivatives with increased anti-coagulation
TITLE:
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INVENTOR(S):
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     wild-type human protein C. These derivs. will require either less
     frequent administration and/or smaller dosage than wild-type human protein
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C in the treatment of acute coronary syndromes, vascular occlusive

disorders, hypercoagulable states, thrombotic disorders and disease states predisposing to thrombosis.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001:101002 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 134:168342

TITLE: Enhanced delivery via serpin enzyme complex receptor INVENTOR(S): Ziady, Assem; Davis, Pamela B.; Ferkol, Thomas W.,

Jr.; Malouf, Alfred

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Case Western Reserve University, USA

SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 21 pp.

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Serpin enzyme complex receptors (SEC-R) are used as targets for therapeutic drugs in the lungs and brain tissue. Any lung or brain disease and any therapeutic drug can be targeted to the lung or brain by use of ligands which specifically bind to the receptors. Complexes for delivery may include proteins, pharmacol. agents, or nucleic acids, as well as carrier mols., and ligands for the receptors. The ligands can be coupled directly to the therapeutic agent or to a carrier mol. which binds to the therapeutic agent. For example, the ability to transfer genes into airway epithelial cell via SEC-R was studied using in vitro models. Two human airway epithelial cell line, 9HTEO-(which does not form tight junctions) and 16HBEEo-cells (which do form tight junctions) can be transfected with SEC-R directed complexes, though these expts. were done with cells grown on plastic and not polarized. These cells never achieve the high levels of expression seen in human hepatoma HuH7 cells, nor is the duration of expression as long. To further pursue the observations, human tracheal epithelial cells were grown in primary cultures to confluence on filters, and demonstrated that they formed a polarized monolayer. Using fluorescein-tagged C105Y peptide, it was demonstrated that there was binding of the peptide to the apical surface of airway epithelial cells. Moreover, the transfer of a reporter gene, green fluorescent protein, to primary cultures of polarized human airway epithelial cells was possible by using SEC-R directed complexes applied to the apical surface. Interestingly, in vitro, C1315 ligand was as efficacious as C105Y. It was these data that encouraged the authors to test the ability to correct the CF mouse in vivo. These data also indicate that this system accesses human airway epithelial cells as well as mouse airway epithelial cells.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000:841957 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 133:366470

TITLE: Methods and compositions for non-viral gene therapy

for treatment of hyperproliferative diseases

INVENTOR(S):
Ramesh, Rajagopal; Roth, Jack A.; Saeki, Tomoyuki;

Wilson, Deborah

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Introgen Therapeutics, Inc., USA; Board of Regents,

the University of Texas System

SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 148 pp.

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The present invention relates to non-viral gene therapy methods and compns. for treatment of hyperproliferative disease in humans. More specifically, the invention is directed, in one embodiment, to lipid formulations which form stable liposome structures, capable of efficient in vivo nucleic acid transfer. In other embodiments, methods and compns. are directed to liposome transfer of anti-proliferative nucleic acids, wherein the transfer of the nucleic acids is cell specific via cell specific targeting moieties. The present invention thus provides non-viral, liposome compns. and methods of gene transfer particularly useful for targeting and treating hyperproliferative disease.

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TITLE:

INVENTOR(S):

Human serpin homolog-encoding polynucleotides and

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AB
     The present invention relates to two novel human serpin homolog
     polypeptides and isolated nucleic acids contg. the coding regions of the
     genes encoding such polypeptides. The translation product of one such
     cDNA shares sequence homol. with rat RASP1 (regeneration assocd. serpin-1)
     and the gene is located on chromosome 14. This cDNA was isolated from a
     human liver cDNA library, and is expressed in primary dendritic cells,
     activated T-cells, bone marrow tissue, endometrial tumor tissue, rejected
     kidney tissue, pancreas tumor tissue, neutrophils, PMBC stimulated with
     poly(I)-poly(C), and ovaries, and to a lesser extent in a variety of
     normal and transformed cell types. The 2nd cDNA encodes a translation
     product with sequence homol. with a human thrombin inhibitor thought to be
     important in apoptosis, and is expressed primarily in healing abdomen
     wound tissue, human adrenal gland tumor tissue, and macrophage-oxLDL, and
     to a lesser extent in KMH2 and TNF-induced amniotic cells. Also provided
     are vectors, host cells, antibodies, and recombinant methods for producing
     human Serpin polypeptides. The invention further relates to diagnostic
     and therapeutic methods useful for diagnosing and treating disorders
     related to these novel human serpin polypeptides.
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DOCUMENT NUMBER:
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TITLE:
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INVENTOR(S):
                           Hermiston, Terry; Nye, Julie
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S):
                           Onyx Pharmaceuticals, Inc., USA
SOURCE:
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     Provided are replication competent, recombinant adenovirus vectors contg.
     mutations in the E1B region which permit the easy deletion of a gene or
     genes therein, and optionally the substitution therefore of a heterologous
     gene that substantially exhibits the temporal expression pattern of the
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Elb region gene(s) deleted. The Elb deletion region are selected from p19, 55K and pIX which can be substituted with a gene that encodes

cytosine deaminase, thymidine kinase, or heterologous proteins selected from the group consisting of TNF.alpha., interferon .gamma., an interleukin, a cell suicide protein, and MIP-3. Such vectors have applications for the treatment of disease, and preferably for the

treatment of neoplastic disease.

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L14 ANSWER 22 OF 49 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS 1999:723172 CAPLUS

ACCESSION NUMBER:

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 131:334127

TITLE: human cytoplasmic antiproteinase-3 coding sequence and

applications for gene therapy

INVENTOR(S): Sprecher, Cindy A.; Foster, Donald C.; Jaspers,

Stephen R.

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Zymogenetics, USA SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 65 pp.

CODEN: PIXXD2

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AB Cytoplasmic antiproteinase-3 nucleic acids and serine and cysteine protease inhibitor proteins encoded thereby useful in the purifn. of proteins and in the treatment of inflammatory diseases and diseases involving apoptosis are provided. A method for modulating apoptosis mediated by caspase-4 in an individual is achieved by administering a ligand which binds to expression product of gene for intracellular mammalian serpin sufficient to alter activity of caspase-4. The method includes providing a non-integrating DNA construct which comprises an operably linked transcriptional promoter, a DNA segment encoding a polypeptide which inhibits serine or cysteine proteinase activity and a transcriptional terminator to an individual with a caspase-mediated disease. Diseases may include neurodegenerative diseases or lung disease etc. Methods for treating such diseases mediated by a caspase by administering a host gene encoding a mammalian serpin are described. This work relates to treating a disease or symptoms of a disease mediated by a caspase by transiently expressing a proteinaceous anticaspase gene in a diseased target tissue. This work is exemplified by the use of cytoplasmic antiproteinase-3 (CAP-3) to inhibit interleukin-1.beta.converting enzyme and plasminogen activator inhibitor-2. High gene expression of CAP-3 was found in lung and placenta.

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L14 ANSWER 23 OF 49 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS
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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999:686690 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER:

131:327493

TITLE: INVENTOR(S): Serpin enzyme complex receptor-mediated gene transfer Ferkol, Thomas W., Jr.; Davis, Pamela B.; Ziady,

Assem-galal

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Case Western Reserve University, USA

SOURCE: U.S., 81 pp., Cont.-in-part of U.S. Ser. No. 655,705.

CODEN: USXXAM

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AB Nucleic acids are compacted, substantially without aggregation, to facilitate their uptake by target cells of an organism to which the compacted material is administered. The nucleic acids may achieve a clin. effect as a result of gene expression, hybridization to endogenous nucleic acids whose expression is undesired, or site-specific integration so that a target gene is replaced, modified or deleted. The targeting may be enhanced by means of a target cell-binding moiety. The nucleic acid is preferably compacted to a condensed state.

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L14 ANSWER 24 OF 49 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS
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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999:511240 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 131:140506

TITLE: Cloning and sequences of cDNAs encoding human serine

protease and serpin polypeptides

INVENTOR(S): Ruben, Steven M.; Ni, Jian

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Human Genome Sciences, Inc., USA

SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 99 pp.

CODEN: PIXXD2

DOCUMENT TYPE:

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The present invention relates to novel human secreted proteins and isolated nucleic acids contq. the coding regions of the genes encoding such proteins. Three of the encoded polypeptides are members of the serine protease polypeptide family, based on a strong degree of sequence similarity, whereas another 3 polypeptides are members of the serpin polypeptide family. Also provided are vectors, host cells, antibodies, and recombinant methods for producing human secreted proteins. The invention further relates to diagnostic and therapeutic methods useful for diagnosing and treating disorders related to these novel human secreted proteins.

THERE ARE 3 CITED REFERENCES AVAILABLE FOR THIS REFERENCE COUNT: 3 RECORD. ALL CITATIONS AVAILABLE IN THE RE FORMAT

L14 ANSWER 25 OF 49 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS 1998:797668 CAPLUS ACCESSION NUMBER:

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 130:148359

Ligand substitution of receptor targeted DNA complexes TITLE:

affects gene transfer into hepatoma cells

Ziady, A-G.; Ferkol, T.; Gerken, T.; Dawson, D. V.; AUTHOR(S):

Perlmutter, D. H.; Davis, P. B.

CORPORATE SOURCE:

Department of Physiology and Biophysics, Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine, Cleveland, OH,

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Gene Therapy (1998), 5(12), 1685-1697 SOURCE:

CODEN: GETHEC; ISSN: 0969-7128

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DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal LANGUAGE: English

The authors have targeted the serpin enzyme complex receptor for gene transfer in human hepatoma cell lines using peptides <30 amino acids in length which contain the five amino acid recognition sequence for this receptor, coupled to poly K of av. chain length 100 K, using the heterobifunctional coupling reagent sulfo-LC SPDP. The no. of sulfo-LC SPDP modified poly-L-lysine residues, as well as the degree of peptide substitution was assessed by NMR spectroscopy. Conjugates were prepd. in which 3.5%, 7.8% or 26% of the lysine residues contained the sulfo-LC SPDP moiety. Each of these conjugates was then coupled with ligand peptides so that one in 370, one in 1039, or one in 5882 lysines were substituted with receptor ligand. Electron microscopy and at. force microscopy were used to assess complex structure and size. HuH7 human hepatoma cells were transfected with complexes of these conjugates with the plasmid pGL3 and luciferase expression measured 2 to 16 days after treatment. All the protein conjugates in which 26% of the K residues were modified with sulfo-LC SPDP were poor gene transfer reagents. Complexes contg. less substituted poly K, averaged 17 .+-. 0.5 nm in diam. and gave peak transgene expression of 3-4 .times. 106 ILU/mg which persisted (> 7 .times. 105 ILU) at 16 days. Of these, more substituted polymers condensed DNA into complexes averaging 20 .+-. 0.7 nm in diam. and gave five-fold less luciferase than complexes contg. less substituted conjugates. As few as eight to 11 ligands per complex are optimal for DNA delivery via the SEC receptor. The extent of substitution of receptor-mediated gene transfer complexes affects the size of the complexes, as well as the intensity and duration of transgene expression. These observations may permit tailoring of complex construction for the usage required.

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                          Recombinant vectors with improved packaging capacity
TITLE:
                           derived from adeno-associated virus and their use in
                           gene therapy
INVENTOR(S):
                           Ciliberto, Gennaro; Colloca, Stefano; Fattori, Elena;
                           Fipaldini, Cristina; La, Monica Nicola; Monciotti,
                           Andrea; Palombo, Fabio; Pieroni, Luisa; Recchia,
                           Alessandra; Rizzuto, Gabriella
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S):
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     The present invention refers to vectors derived form recombinant
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     Adeno-assocd. virus (AVV) which comprise at least one selected transgene
     between the sequences of the 5' and 3' inverted terminal repeats (ITRs)
     from AAV, and a DNA sequence encoding one or more AAV Rep protein, or a
     fragment or a deriv. thereof, outside of the context of the AAV ITRs.
     These vectors have a larger packaging capacity and prior art vectors.
     vectors according to the invention are useful in gene therapy. Thus,
     plasmid pITR(GFP-Neo)P5Rep was prepd. and HeLa cells were transfected with
     it. This plasmid contains the GFP gene under control of the CMV early
     promoter and the neomycin resistance gene under control of the SV40 early
     promoter between the 3'- and 5'-ITRs and the Rep gene controlled by the P5
     and P19 promoters outside of the ITRs. The ITR-flanked expression
     construct was inserted into the HeLa cell genome in a Rep-dependent manner
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                          Human regeneration-associated serpin-1 (RASP-1) and
TITLE:
                           antibodies for treatment of cell proliferation
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INVENTOR(S): Purchio, Anthony F. Hepatix Inc., USA PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): PCT Int. Appl., 40 pp. SOURCE: CODEN: PIXXD2 DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent LANGUAGE: English FAMILY ACC. NUM. COUNT: 1 PATENT INFORMATION: MO 9833890 -- KIND DATE APPLICATION NO. DATE PATENT NO. -----WO 9833890 A1 19980806 WO 1998-US1962 19980203 W: AU, CA, JP RW: AU, CA, JP RW: AT, BE, CH, DE, DK, ES, FI, FR, GB, GR, IE, IT, LU, MC, NL, PT, SE AU 9862620 A1 19980825 AU 1998-62620 19980203 EP 1015559 A1 20000705 EP 1998-904837 19980203 R: AT, BE, CH, DE, DK, FR, GB, IT, LI, NL, SE, FI JP 2001511005 T2 20010807 JP 1998-533174 19980203
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US 1998-38714 A1 19980203
WO 1998-US1962 W 19980203 PRIORITY APPLN. INFO.: AB The invention provides human regeneration-assocd. serpin-1 (RASP-1) polypeptide and nucleic acid mols. that encode RASP-1. Also included in the invention are diagnostic and therapeutic methods using RASP-1 polypeptides and nucleic acids. THERE ARE 2 CITED REFERENCES AVAILABLE FOR THIS REFERENCE COUNT: 2 RECORD. ALL CITATIONS AVAILABLE IN THE RE FORMAT L14 ANSWER 28 OF 49 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS ACCESSION NUMBER: 1997:809902 CAPLUS DOCUMENT NUMBER: 128:79986 TITLE: Serpin enzyme complex receptor-mediated gene transfer INVENTOR(S): Ferkol, Thomas W., Jr.; Davis, Pamela B.; Ziady, Assem-Galal PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Case Western Reserve University, USA SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 157 pp. CODEN: PIXXD2 DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent English FAMILY ACC. NUM. COUNT: 9 PATENT INFORMATION: PATENT NO. KIND DATE APPLICATION NO. DATE PATENT NO. WO 9746100 A1 19971211 WO 1997-US9858 19970603 W: AU, CA, JP RW: AT, BE, CH, DE, DK, ES, FI, FR, GB, GR, IE, IT, LU, MC, NL, PT, SE US 5972901 A 19991026 US 1996-656906 19960603 AU 9733044 A1 19980105 AU 1997-33044 19970603 AU 1997-33044 AU 720223 B2 20000525 EP 1006797 A1 20000614 EP 1997-928891 19970603 R: AT, BE, CH, DE, DK, ES, FR, GB, GR, IT, LI, LU, NL, SE, MC, PT, IE, FI T2 20000919 JP 1998-500875 19970603 JP 2000512140 US 1996-656906 A 19960603 PRIORITY APPLN. INFO.: US 1994-216534 B2 19940323 WO 1995-US3677 A1 19950323 US 1996-655705 A2 19960603 WO 1997-US9858 W 19970603 Nucleic acids are compacted, substantially without aggregation, to AR facilitate their uptake by target cells of an organism to which the compacted material is administered. The nucleic acids may achieve a clin. effect as a result of gene expression, hybridization to endogenous nucleic acids whose expression is undesired, or site-specific integration so that a target gene is replaced, modified or deleted. The targeting may be enhanced by means of a target cell-binding moiety. The nucleic acid is

preferably compacted to a condensed state.

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1997:573309 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 127:257137

TITLE: Gene transfer into hepatoma cell lines via the serpin

enzyme complex receptor

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AB The serpin enzyme complex receptor (SECR) expressed on hepatocytes binds to a conserved sequence in .alpha.1-antitrypsin (.alpha.1-AT) and other serpins. A mol. conjugate consisting of a synthetic peptide (C1315) based

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inhibited uptake and expression in a dose-dependent manner. Complexes of DNA condensed with polylysine or LC-sulfo-N-succinimidyl-3-(2-

pyridyldithio)propionate-substituted polylysine were ineffective. Transfection with a plasmid encoding human factor IX produced expression in Hep G2 (high) and HuH7 cells that express SECR but not Hep G2 (low) cells that lack the receptor. Fluorescein-labeled C1315 peptide labeled

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specific uptake and high-level expression of three reporter genes, and the system merits further study for gene therapy.

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 125:240253

TITLE: Ink4c-p18 and Ink4d-p19, inhibitors of

cyclin-dependent kinases CDK4 and CDK6, and uses

thereof

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Members of the InK4 (Inhibitors of CDK4) family inhibit the activities of specific cyclin D-dependent kinases (CDK4 and/or CDK6), thereby arresting cell cycle progression in G1 phase and preventing chromosomal DNA replication. Disclosed herein are novel mammalian InK4 family members, having apparent mol. masses of 18,000 and 19,000 daltons, designated InK4c-p18 and InK4d-p19, resp., or simply p18 and p19. In particular, the invention provides p19 genes and proteins isolated from murine or human cells and p18 genes and proteins from murine cells. When constitutively expressed in cells, p19 inhibits cyclin D-dependent kinase activity in vivo and induces G1 phase arrest. Materials and methods disclosed herein include (1) nucleic acids that encode p18 or p19; (2) methods for detecting nucleic acids encoding pl8 or pl9 proteins; (3) methods for producing pl8 or p19 proteins using nucleic acids that encode p18 or p19, resp.; (4) purified p18 or p19 proteins and peptide fragments, oligopeptides, or fusion proteins derived therefrom; (5) methods of inhibiting cells from replicating their chromosomal DNA using purified p18 or p19 proteins or derivs. thereof; (6) antibodies that specifically bind p18 or p19; (7) methods for detecting pl8 and pl9 proteins; (8) method of stimulating cell growth by blocking pl8 or pl9 expression via antisense oligonucleotides; (9) methods of gene therapy using nucleic acids that encode p18 or p19; and (10) methods of making transgenic non-human animals that have alterations in the gene encoding p18 or p19, or in both genes. The Ink4d gene was mapped to human chromosome 19.

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RNA interference by expression of short-interfering RNAs TITLE:

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Duplexes of 21-nt RNAs, known as short-interfering RNAs (siRNAs), efficiently inhibit gene expression by RNA interference (RNAi) when introduced into mammalian cells. We show that siRNAs can be synthesized by in vitro transcription with T7 RNA polymerase, providing an economical alternative to chemical synthesis of siRNAs. By using this method, we show that short hairpin siRNAs can function like siRNA duplexes to inhibit gene expression in a sequence-specific manner. Further, we find that hairpin siRNAs or siRNAs expressed from an RNA polymerase III vector based on the mouse U6 RNA promoter can effectively inhibit gene expression in mammalian cells. U6-driven hairpin siRNAs dramatically reduced the expression of a neuron-specific beta.-tubulin protein during the neuronal differentiation of mouse P19 cells, demonstrating that this approach should be useful for studies of differentiation and neurogenesis. We also observe that mismatches within hairpin siRNAs can increase the strand selectivity of a hairpin siRNA, which may reduce self-targeting of vectors expressing siRNAs. Use of hairpin siRNA expression vectors for RNAi should provide a rapid and versatile method for assessing gene function in mammalian cells, and may have applications in gene therapy.

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2002139580 EMBASE ACCESSION NUMBER:

TITLE:

Functional evidence of CFTR gene transfer in nasal epithelium of cystic fibrosis mice in vivo following luminal application of DNA complexes targeted to the serpin-enzyme complex receptor.

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LANGUAGE: English SUMMARY LANGUAGE: English

Molecular conjugates that target the serpin-enzyme complex receptor transfer the cDNA encoding human cystic fibrosis transmembrane conductance regulator (CFTR) to the nasal epithelium of cystic fibrosis mutant mice. These complexes effect partial correction of the chloride transport defect as assessed by in vivo nasal potential difference measurements, produce immunohistochemical staining for CFTR, and restore expression of nitric oxide synthase-2 (NOS-2), which is downregulated in the epithelium of mice and humans with cystic fibrosis. Complexes that lack the receptor ligands were ineffective, so receptor access was essential. Mice treated with receptor-targeted lacZ showed .beta.-galactosidase expression in epithelial cells and submucosal glands, but no electrophysiologic correction or NOS-2 expression, so simply accessing the serpin-enzyme complex receptor was not sufficient to produce the observed electrophysiologic or immunohistochemical changes. Correction of the cAMP-stimulated chloride transport was dose related at days 7 and 12 after complex administration, but, for most animals, nasal potential difference had returned to baseline by day 18. Molecular conjugates targeting the serpin-enzyme complex receptor, used to compact plasmid DNA, hold promise for gene therapy of cystic fibrosis.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001291941 EMBASE

TITLE: Characterization of permanent cell lines that contain the

AAV2 rep-cap genes on an Epstein-Barr-virus-based episomal

plasmid.

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LANGUAGE: English SUMMARY LANGUAGE: English

SOURCE:

Recombinant adeno-associated virus (rAAV) has emerged as a promising gene therapy vector. Its development, however, has been hampered by the lack of a readily available efficient production method. We investigated the possibility of establishing permanent cell lines for the production of rAAV with a new Epstein-Barr-virus (EBV)-based episomal AAV rep-cap plasmid (pCEP-rep/cap). HeLa and 293 cells were stably transfected with plasmids that carry the AAV2 rep/cap genes under transcriptional control of their endogenous promoters (p5, p19 and p40) either on the pCEP-rep/cap or an integrated (pIM45) plasmid. For the ease of monitoring transgene expression in live cells, a rAAV vector expressing gfp (the green fluorescent protein gene, rAAV-gfp/neo) was used. Establishment of stable transfected cell lines with these plasmids proved feasible but their usefulness was limited because of their instability. Within 8-12 weeks after their establishment, stably transfected rep-cap cell lines invariably lost their function. In

addition, the rAAV-gfp/neo vector we used was susceptible to mutation in stably transfected HeLa cells. Our observations demonstrate specific problems both at the level of rep/cap gene function and the rAAV genome that can occur with the establishment of rAAV production cell lines. These experiments should aid the further development of efficient rAAV production protocols. Copyright .COPYRGT. 2001 S. Karger AG, Basel.

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TITLE: Endogenous angiogenesis inhibitors and their therapeutic

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LANGUAGE: English SUMMARY LANGUAGE: English

A number of endogenous inhibitors targeting the tumor vasculature have recently been identified using in vitro and in vivo antiangiogenesis models. While many of these angiogenesis inhibitors display a broad spectrum of biological actions on several systems in the body, several inhibitors including angiostatin, endostatin, and serpin antithrombin seem to act specifically on the proliferating endothelial cell compartment of the newly formed blood vessels. The discovery of these specific endothelial inhibitors not only increases our understanding of the functions of these molecules in the regulation of physiological and pathological angiogenesis, but may also provide an important therapeutic strategy for the treatment of cancer and other angiogenesis dependent diseases, including diabetic retinopathy and chronic inflammations. Systemic administration of these angiogenesis inhibitors in animals significantly suppresses the growth of a variety of tumors and their metastases. However, their production as functional recombinant proteins has been proven to be difficult. In addition, high dosages of these inhibitors are required to suppress tumor growth in animal studies. Other disadvantages of the antiangiogenic protein therapy include repeated injections, prolonged treatment, transmission of toxins and infectious particles, and high cost for manufacturing large amounts of protein molecules. Thus, alternative strategies need to be developed in order to improve the clinical settings of antiangiogenic therapy. Developments of these strategies are ongoing and they include identification of more potent inhibitors, antiangiogenic gene therapy, improvement of protein/compound half-lives in the circulation, increase of

their concentrations at the disease location, and combinatorial therapies with approaches including chemotherapy, radiotherapy, and immunotherapy. Despite the above-mentioned disadvantages, a few inhibitors have entered into the early stages of clinical trials and they may bring new hopes for the treatment of cancer and other angiogenesis dependent diseases.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000309646 EMBASE

TITLE: Mutational analysis of the adeno-associated virus type 2

(AAV2) capsid gene and construction of AAV2 vectors with

altered tropism.

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LANGUAGE: English SUMMARY LANGUAGE: English

Adeno-associated virus type 2 (AAV2) has proven to be a valuable vector for gene therapy. Characterization of the functional domains of the AAV capsid proteins can facilitate our understanding of viral tissue tropism, immunoreactivity, viral entry, and DNA packaging, all of which are important issues for generating improved vectors. To obtain a comprehensive genetic map of the AAV capsid gene, we have constructed 93 mutants at 59 different positions in the AAV capsid gene by site-directed mutagenesis. Several types of mutants were studied, including epitope tag or ligand insertion mutants, alanine scanning mutants, and epitope substitution mutants. Analysis of these mutants revealed eight separate phenotypes. Infectious titers of the mutants revealed four classes. Class 1 mutants were viable, class 2 mutants were partially defective, class 3 mutants were temperature sensitive, and class 4 mutants were noninfectious. Further analysis revealed some of the defects in the class 2, 3, and 4 mutants. Among the class 4 mutants, a subset completely abolished capsid formation. These mutants were located predominantly, but not exclusively, in what are likely to be .beta.-barrel structures in the capsid protein VP3. Two of these mutants were insertions at the N and C termini of VP3, suggesting that both ends of VP3 play a role that is important for capsid assembly or stability. Several class 2 and 3 mutants produced capsids that were unstable during purification of viral particles. One mutant, R432A, made only empty capsids, presumably due to a defect in packaging viral DNA. Additionally, five mutants were defective in heparan binding, a step that is believed to be essential for viral entry. These were distributed into two amino acid clusters in what is likely to be a cell surface loop in the capsid protein VP3. The first cluster spanned amino acids 509 to 522; the second was between amino acids 561 and 591. In addition to the heparan binding clusters, hemagglutinin epitope tag insertions identified several other regions that were on the surface of the capsid. These included insertions at amino acids 1, 34, 138, 266, 447, 591, and 664. Positions 1 and 138 were the N termini of VP1 and VP2, respectively; position 34 was exclusively in VP1; the remaining surface positions were located in putative loop regions of VP3. The remaining mutants, most of them partially defective, were presumably defective in steps of viral entry that were not tested in the preliminary screening, including intracellular trafficking, viral uncoating, or coreceptor binding. Finally, in vitro experiments showed that insertion of the serpin receptor ligand in the N-terminal regions of VP1 or VP2 can change the tropism of AAV. Our results provide information on AAV capsid functional domains and are useful for future design of AAV vectors for targeting of specific tissues.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000030555 EMBASE

TITLE: Improved production of adenovirus vectors expressing

apoptotic transgenes.

AUTHOR: Bruder J.T.; Appiah A.; Kirkman III W.M.; Chen P.; Tian J.;

Reddy D.; Brough D.E.; Lizonova A.; Kovesdi I.

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DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article
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SOURCE:

AB Adenovirus vectors expressing gene products that can induce apoptosis have potential utility in **gene therapy** applications ranging from the treatment of proliferative diseases to transplantation. However,

adenovirus vectors carrying proapoptotic gene products are difficult to produce, as the apoptotic environment is not conducive to adenovirus gene expression and replication. Production of AdFasL/G, an adenovirus vector that expresses high levels of Fas ligand, was severely reduced in the 293 packaging cell line. Increased yields of AdFasL/G were achieved by inclusion of peptide-based caspase inhibitors in the growth medium. However, use of these inhibitors for large-scale production would be difficult and expensive. A screen for gene products that increase the yield of AdFasL/G in 293 cells revealed that the poxvirus serpin CrmA and the adenovirus 14.7K product were able to increase virus yields significantly. Apoptosis induced by AdFasL/G was attenuated in 293CrmA cell lines and virus titers were increased dramatically. However, serial passage of AdFasL/G on 293CrmA cells resulted in the generation of replication-competent adenovirus. To resolve this problem, the CrmA gene was introduced into AE25 cells, an E1-complementing cell line that has limited sequence identity with the vectors. AdFasL/G titers were increased 100-fold on AE25CrmA cells relative to the AE25 cells and RCA contamination was not detectable. In addition, adenovirus vectors that express FADD, caspase 8, and Fas/APO1 were produced efficiently in AE25CrmA and 293CrmA.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999076544 EMBASE

TITLE: Development of animal models for adeno-associated virus

site-specific integration.

AUTHOR: Rizzuto G.; Gorgoni B.; Cappelletti M.; Lazzaro D.;

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LANGUAGE: English SUMMARY LANGUAGE: English

The adeno-associated virus (AAV) is unique in its ability to target viral DNA integration to a defined region of human chromosome 19 (AAVS1). Since AAVS1 sequences are not conserved in a rodent's genome, no animal model is currently available to study AAV-mediated site-specific integration. We describe here the generation of transgenic rats and mice that carry the AAVS1 3.5-kb DNA fragment. To test the response of the transgenic animals to Rep- mediated targeting, primary cultures of mouse fibroblasts, rat hepatocytes, and fibroblasts were infected with wild-type wt AAV. PCR amplification of the inverted terminal repeat (ITR)-AAVS1 junction revealed that the AAV genome integrated into the AAVS1 site in fibroblasts and hepatocytes. Integration in rat fibroblasts was also observed upon transfection of a plasmid containing the rep gene under the control of the p5 and p19 promoters and a dicistronic cassette carrying the green fluorescent protein (GFP) and neomycin (neo) resistance gene between the ITRs of AAV. The localization of the GFP-Neo sequence in the AAVS1 region was determined by Southern blot and FISH analysis. Lastly, AAV genomic DNA integration into the AAVS1 site in vivo was assessed by virus injection into the quadriceps muscle of transgenic rats and mice. Rep-mediated targeting to the AAVS1 site was detected in several injected animals. These results indicate that the transgenic lines are proficient for Rep-mediated targeting. These animals should allow further characterization of the molecular aspects of site-specific integration and testing of the efficacy of targeted integration of AAV recombinant vectors designed for human gene therapy.

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 1997300024

TITLE: Gene transfer into hepatoma cell lines via the serpin

enzyme complex receptor.

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Physiology, (1997) 273/2 36-2 (G545-G552).

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TITLE:

Adenovirus-mediated delivery of human kallistatin gene

reduces blood pressure of spontaneously hypertensive rats.

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LANGUAGE:

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SUMMARY LANGUAGE: Human kallistatin, or human tissue kallikrein-binding protein (HKBP), is a serine proteinase inhibitor (serpin). Transgenic mice overexpressing rat kallikrein-binding protein are hypotensive. To elucidate therapeutic potentials of kallistatin in hypertension, the human kallistatin gene in an adenoviral vector was directly introduced into spontaneously hypertensive rats (SHR) through portal vein injection. The kallistatin cDNA construct (RSV-cHKBP) under the promoter control of Rous sarcoma virus 3' long terminal repeat (LTR) was incorporated into adenovirus (Ad.RSV-cHKBP). Recombinant kallistatin in 293 cells transfected with RSV-cHKBP or Ad.RSV-cHKBP was measured by ELISA and by its complex formation with tissue kallikrein. A single intraportal vein injection of Ad.RSV-cHKBP at a dose of 8 x 1010 pfu results in a significant reduction of blood pressure of SHR for 4 weeks. Human kallistatin mRNA was detected in the liver, spleen, kidney, aorta, and

lung of rats receiving gene delivery. Immunoreactive human kallistatin in rat serum was detected at the highest level 1 day post injection and at lesser amounts in rat tissues. This study shows that adenovirus harboring Ad.RSV-cHKBP produces functional kallistatin, and adenovirus-mediated transfer of the human kallistatin gene reduces blood pressures of SHR. The results suggest that kallistatin may function as a vasodilator in vivo and provide important information for a potential gene therapy approach to hypertension.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:326621 BIOSIS DOCUMENT NUMBER: PREV200200326621

TITLE: RNA interference by expression of short-interfering RNAs

and hairpin RNAs in mammalian cells.

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Duplexes of 21-nt RNAs, known as short-interfering RNAs (siRNAs), efficiently inhibit gene expression by RNA interference (RNAi) when introduced into mammalian cells. We show that siRNAs can be synthesized by in vitro transcription with T7 RNA polymerase, providing an economical alternative to chemical synthesis of siRNAs. By using this method, we show that short hairpin siRNAs can function like siRNA duplexes to inhibit gene expression in a sequence-specific manner. Further, we find that hairpin siRNAs or siRNAs expressed from an RNA polymerase III vector based on the mouse U6 RNA promoter can effectively inhibit gene expression in mammalian cells. U6-driven hairpin siRNAs dramatically reduced the expression of a neuron-specific beta-tubulin protein during the neuronal differentiation of mouse P19 cells, demonstrating that this approach should be useful for studies of differentiation and neurogenesis. We also observe that mismatches within hairpin siRNAs can increase the strand selectivity of a hairpin siRNA, which may reduce self-targeting of vectors expressing siRNAs. Use of hairpin siRNA expression vectors for RNAi should provide a rapid and versatile method for assessing gene function in mammalian cells, and may have applications in gene therapy.

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TITLE: Histological evaluation of lentiviral vector mediated gene

transfer in explants from retinal degenerative (rd) mice. Blanks, J. C. (1); Pang, J. (1); Cheng, M. (1); Day, S.;

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AB To compare the transduction efficiency of a lentiviral vector in rd mice at various ages, retinal explants from postnatal days (P) 3 to P19 rd mice were infected with a lentiviral vector with a green fluorescence protein (GFP) reporter gene (pHR-CMV-GFP). Retinal explant was prepared, flattened on a Millipore insert (photoreceptor-side down) and placed in a six-well tissue culture plate. Each well contained 0.6ml of DMEM containing 10% FCS plus Fungizone (1.25 mg/ml). For each explant, 30ml of vector (1.0X10 of 7 infectious units/ml) was placed directly on the ganglion cell surface. Controls consisted of 30ml of DMEM, placed directly on the ganglion cell surface. Retinal explants were infected for 24 hours,

then rinsed and incubated in vector-free media for 4 days in vitro (DIV). Media was replenished daily. After 5 DIV, retinal explants were lightly fixed, embedded and sectioned for light microscopy. Fluorescence could be detected near the edge of the explants from all retinas treated with vector. Fluorescence increased from P3 to P7 and appeared in a larger portion of the explant surface in P5 and P7, then declined; by P19 only sparse fluorescence at the explant edge remained. No fluorescence was detected in control retinas. Histological examination showed fluorescent cells located primarily in the photoreceptor (PR) cell layer from P3-P9. The largest number of fluorescent PR cells were observed in P5 and P7 explants. Transduced PR cells were completely filled with GFP. This result suggests a suitable time to start the lentivirus-mediated gene therapy on rd mice.

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TITLE: Characterization of permanent cell lines that contain the

AAV2 rep-cap genes on an Epstein-Barr-virus-based episomal

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Recombinant adeno-associated virus (rAAV) has emerged as a promising gene therapy vector. Its development, however, has been hampered by the lack of a readily available efficient production method. We investigated the possibility of establishing permanent cell lines for the production of rAAV with a new Epstein-Barr-virus (EBV)-based episomal AAV rep-cap plasmid (pCEP-rep/cap). HeLa and 293 cells were stably transfected with plasmids that carry the AAV2 rep/cap genes under transcriptional control of their endogenous promoters (p5, p19 and p40) either on the pCEP-rep/cap or an integrated (pIM45) plasmid. For the ease of monitoring transgene expression in live cells, a rAAV vector expressing gfp (the green fluorescent protein gene, rAAV-gfp/neo) was used. Establishment of stable transfected cell lines with these plasmids proved feasible but their usefulness was limited because of their instability. Within 8-12 weeks after their establishment, stably transfected rep-cap cell lines invariably lost their function. In addition, the rAAV-gfp/neo vector we used was susceptible to mutation in stably transfected HeLa cells. Our observations demonstrate specific problems both at the level of rep/cap gene function and the rAAV genome that can occur with the establishment of rAAV production cell lines. These

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experiments should aid the further development of efficient rAAV

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production protocols.

TITLE: Endogenous angiogenesis inhibitors and their therapeutic

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AB A number of endogenous inhibitors targeting the tumor vasculature have recently been identified using in vitro and in vivo antiangiogenesis

models. While many of these angiogenesis inhibitors display a broad spectrum of biological actions on several systems in the body, several inhibitors including angiostatin, endostatin, and serpin antithrombin seem to act specifically on the proliferating endothelial cell compartment of the newly formed blood vessels. The discovery of these specific endothelial inhibitors not only increases our understanding of the functions of these molecules in the regulation of physiological and pathological angiogenesis, but may also provide an important therapeutic strategy for the treatment of cancer and other angiogenesis dependent diseases, including diabetic retinopathy and chronic inflammations. Systemic administration of these angiogenesis inhibitors in animals significantly suppresses the growth of a variety of tumors and their metastases. However, their production as functional recombinant proteins has been proven to be difficult. In addition, high dosages of these inhibitors are required to suppress tumor growth in animal studies. Other disadvantages of the antiangiogenic protein therapy include repeated injections, prolonged treatment, transmission of toxins and infectious particles, and high cost for manufacturing large amounts of protein molecules. Thus, alternative strategies need to be developed in order to improve the clinical settings of antiangiogenic therapy. Developments of these strategies are ongoing and they include identification of more potent inhibitors, antiangiogenic gene therapy, improvement of protein/compound half-lives in the circulation, increase of their concentrations at the disease location, and combinatorial therapies with approaches including chemotherapy, radiotherapy, and immunotherapy. Despite the above-mentioned disadvantages, a few inhibitors have entered into the early stages of clinical trials and they may bring new hopes for the treatment of cancer and other angiogenesis dependent diseases.

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Gene therapy and protease inhibition in neurodegeneration:

transfection of motor neurons with protease nexin I.

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Roles for the serine protease: serpin balance are clear in the CNS and at the peripheral neuromuscular synapse (NMJ). We have investigated the serpin, PNI, a potent tissue inhibitor of thrombin, that is highly localized at NMJs. In previous studies, PNI dimers were less expressed and surface-localized just prior to and after the period of polyneuronal synapse elimination in postnatal skeletal muscle. In addition, although PNI protein was detected in adult rat motor neurons (MNs) PNI message was absent. Finally, although a parent neuroblastoma expressed PNI mRNA, a hybrid cell fused with murine embryonic MNs did not. Since thrombin is one of the earliest signals inducing neuronal apoptosis in neurodegenerative and traumatic disorders it is a prime target for therapeutic intervention. Using pTsign we generated a fusion construct between PNI and GFP and tested first for expression of PNI and secondly for neuroprotection afforded by this gene therapy of MNs harboring this construct. We used simultaneous confocal visualization of GFP and apoptotosis specific markers and confirmed the elevated expression of PNI in these cells. We then examined cells for reduction in apoptosis induced by thrombin and other agents. Preliminary evidence suggests this may be a productive approach to manipulating synaptic apoptosis in neurodegenerative conditions.

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TITLE: Mutational analysis of the adeno-associated virus type 2

(AAV2) capsid gene and construction of AAV2 vectors with

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AB Adeno-associated virus type 2 (AAV2) has proven to be a valuable vector for gene therapy. Characterization of the functional domains of the AAV capsid proteins can facilitate our understanding of viral tissue tropism immunoreactivity viral entry and DNA packaging

viral tissue tropism, immunoreactivity, viral entry, and DNA packaging, all of which are important issues for generating improved vectors. To obtain a comprehensive genetic map of the AAV capsid gene, we have constructed 93 mutants at 59 different positions in the AAV capsid gene by site-directed mutagenesis. Several types of mutants were studied, including epitope tag or ligand insertion mutants, alanine scanning mutants, and epitope substitution mutants. Analysis of these mutants revealed eight separate phenotypes. Infectious titers of the mutants revealed four classes. Class 1 mutants were viable, class 2 mutants were partially defective, class 3 mutants were temperature sensitive, and class 4 mutants were noninfectious. Further analysis revealed some of the defects in the class 2, 3, and 4 mutants. Among the class 4 mutants, a subset completely abolished capsid formation. These mutants were located predominantly, but not exclusively, in what are likely to be beta-barrel structures in the capsid protein VP3. Two of these mutants were insertions at the N and C termini of VP3, suggesting that both ends of VP3 play a role that is important for capsid assembly or stability. Several class 2 and 3 mutants produced capsids that were unstable during purification of viral particles. One mutant, R432A, made only empty capsids, presumably due to a defect in packaging viral DNA. Additionally, five mutants were defective in heparan binding, a step that is believed to be essential for viral entry. These were distributed into two amino acid clusters in what is likely to be a cell surface loop in the capsid protein VP3. The first cluster spanned amino acids 509 to 522; the second was between amino acids 561 and 591. In addition to the heparan binding clusters, hemagglutinin epitope tag insertions identified several other regions that were on the surface of the capsid. These included insertions at amino acids 1, 34, 138, 266, 447, 591, and 664. Positions 1 and 138 were the N termini of VP1 and VP2, respectively; position 34 was exclusively in VP1; the remaining surface positions were located in putative loop regions of VP3. The remaining mutants, most of them partially defective, were presumably defective in steps of viral entry that were not tested in the preliminary screening, including intracellular trafficking, viral uncoating, or coreceptor binding. Finally, in vitro experiments showed that insertion of the serpin receptor ligand in the N-terminal regions of VP1 or VP2 can change the tropism of AAV. Our results provide information on AAV capsid functional domains and are useful for future design of AAV vectors for targeting of specific tissues.

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TITLE: InK4c-p18 and InK4d-p19, inhibitors of cyclin-dependent

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Members of the InK4 (Inhibitors of CDK4) family inhibit the activities of specific cyclin D-dependent kinases (CDK4 and/or CDK6), thereby arresting cell cycle progression in G1 phase and preventing chromosomal DNA replication. Disclosed herein are novel mammalian InK4 family members, having apparent molecular masses of 18,000 and 19,000 daltons, designated "InK4c-p18" and "InK4d-p19," respectively, or simply "p18" and " p19." In particular, the invention provides p19 genes and proteins isolated from murine or human cells and p18 genes and proteins from murine cells. When constitutively expressed in cells, p19 inhibits cyclin D-dependent kinase activity in vivo and induces G1 phase arrest. Materials and methods disclosed herein include (1) nucleic acids that encode p18 or p19; (2) methods for detecting nucleic acids encoding p18 or p19 proteins; (3) methods for producing pl8 or pl9 proteins using nucleic acids that encode p18 or p19, respectively; (4) purified p18 or p19 proteins and peptide fragments, oligopeptides, or fusion proteins derived therefrom: (5) methods of inhibiting cells from replicating their chromosomal DNA using purified p18 or p19 proteins or derivatives thereof; (6) antibodies that specifically bind p18 or p19; (7) methods for detecting p18 and p19 proteins; (8) methods of stimulating cell growth by blocking p18 or p19 expression via antisense oligonucleotides; (9) methods of gene therapy using nucleic acids that encode p18 or p19; and (10) methods of making transgenic non-human animals that have alterations in the gene encoding pl8 or pl9, or in both genes.

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TITLE: Improved production of adenovirus vectors expressing

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Adenovirus vectors expressing gene products that can induce apoptosis have potential utility in gene therapy applications ranging from the treatment of proliferative diseases to transplantation. However, adenovirus vectors carrying proapoptotic gene products are difficult to produce, as the apoptotic environment is not conducive to adenovirus gene expression and replication. Production of AdFasL/G, an adenovirus vector that expresses high levels of Fas ligand, was severely reduced in the 293 packaging cell line. Increased yields of AdFasL/G were achieved by inclusion of peptide-based caspase inhibitors in the growth medium. However, use of these inhibitors for large-scale production would be difficult and expensive. A screen for gene products that increase the yield of AdFasL/G in 293 cells revealed that the poxvirus serpin CrmA and the adenovirus 14.7K product were able to increase virus yields significantly. Apoptosis induced by AdFasL/G was attenuated in 293CrmA cell lines and virus titers were increased dramatically. However, serial passage of AdFasL/G on 293CrmA cells resulted in the generation of replication-competent adenovirus. To resolve this problem, the CrmA gene was introduced into AE25 cells, an E1-complementing cell line that has limited sequence identity with the vectors. AdFasL/G titers were increased 100-fold on AE25CrmA cells relative to the AE25 cells and RCA contamination was not detectable. In addition, adenovirus vectors that express FADD, caspase 8, and Fas/APO1 were produced efficiently in